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## Food pantry started for tough times

by Arlene Surprenant  
Saying the time is ripe, two local men are spearheading a drive to set up a food pantry in Wilmington, maybe as early as the first of the year.

Bob DiPalma and Jim Hatchey, both officers of the Wilmington Community Fund, are pulling out all the stops to provide local families in need with food staples from The Commissary as soon as possible. The men already have a stockpile of canned goods and the promise of a freezer to store fresh produce.

DiPalma said the idea came to him a month ago when someone at church mentioned the need for a food pantry. A recent newspaper article on the Community Fund and donations of food for holiday baskets provided the impetus needed for DiPalma to run with the idea.

"As a result of the article, we had calls from people who had food to donate and nowhere to store them.

Everyone knows someone who is unemployed. It's personal, that's why there's so much interest," said DiPalma.

"We've seen an increase in the need for food assistance this year," added Hatchey, referring to the Community Fund. He explained right now anyone needing assistance is given a voucher and sent to an outside pantry like that in Lowell or Woburn. Often, though, the cost of gas and unfamiliarity with the geography of neighboring communities would cause Wilmington residents to not pursue this help.

Both men took some time and looked at food pantry operations in other towns. They liked what they saw in Lexington, calling it "a very efficient, sophisticated operation," and decided to model Wilmington's food pantry after Lexington's.

DiPalma said plans call for the distribution of food on a weekly basis. The amount of food given each family will be based on the

number of family members. Initially, the pantry will be open only to Wilmington residents.

"However, we're not going to turn anyone away. Hungry is hungry," said DiPalma.

The hardest part is getting the pantry underway. In order to open its doors, the men have to find a central location for the storage and

distribution of food. They also need donations of freezers, refrigerators, and shelving along with donations of canned goods on a regular basis. Both men plan to talk to fraternal organizations, school and town officials, industries, and the Council of

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## Cleanup continues on Olin Corp. site

by Arlene Surprenant  
Well over a million dollars has already been spent by Olin Corporation to conduct an ongoing investigation of suspected chemicals in the water and soil on the company's Eames Street property. After almost 10 years of tests, the installation of numerous groundwater monitoring wells, and 34 soil borings, at least five contaminants have been found both on and off the site. These contaminants are ammonia, chromium 3, chlorides, sulfates, and phthalates.

According to a report turned over to the Wilmington Conservation Commission last Wednesday, the first four substances were found in the groundwater and are believed to be caused by acids which were disposed of in pits by a previous owner. Both the chromium and chlorides were found in deep wells while sulfates were found in the more shallow areas in the aquifer. According to Conservation Administrator Eileen Chabot, the contaminants appear to be migrating off site to the west. The soil borings, said Chabot, reveal that both chromium and phthalates are present in the soil. These contaminants seem to be coming from Plant B where lime lagoons were once located, Chabot explained the chemicals are not necessarily affecting the town water supply at this time. The investigation is being conducted by groundwater hydrogeologists from the Toronto based firm Conestoga-

Rovers and Associates.

Olin Corp. purchased the Wilmington facility in September 1980 from Stepan Chemical. Almost immediately Olin began a cleanup of the site and site assessment studies which were required by the state Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). Groundwater monitoring got underway in 1986. In April 1991, Olin received permission from the Conservation Commission to install monitoring wells in areas designated as wetlands. Several neighboring companies like Janis Research, Hardwick Chemical, and Whitney Barrel allowed Olin to install wells on their property to see if any chemicals have migrated to their facilities. Other companies, explained Chabot, have refused permission to install the wells for fear they could be held liable for any toxic substances found on site. Chabot stressed that neighboring businesses should cooperate with Olin and the town so that the investigation can end and a feasibility plan for site cleanup can be developed before the January 1994 deadline.

According to Steve Morrow, a spokesman for Olin, his company's main objective has been to define the contaminants and determine where they are going so a solution

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Mouse makers

Everyone knows the story of the Christmas Mouse. But where does the Christmas Mouse come from? Well, the secret is out. First graders at the Wildwood School make them. Jessica Kelleher worked on her mouse while Matthew Rockoff received some technical support from Mrs. Anna Kilfoyle. At the right is Brian Aldrich making some last minute adjustments to his mouse.



Squeak check

Almost! With just one small final adjustment it should be perfect! Kristie Crampton gave final quality control inspection to her mouse at the first grade "Mouse Factory" in Wildwood School.

## Town bypassed for Small Cities Grant

by Arlene Surprenant  
Wilmington officials received word last week that the town was bypassed in its quest for a Small Cities Grant. The money would have gone toward job training and counseling for the unemployed, home improvements for those on the lower end of the income scale, and a recreational area by Silver Lake.

Over \$20 million was available to 90 towns and cities which applied to the Executive Office of Communities and Development. Only 45 communities, however, received some or all of the funds they requested.

Assistant Town Manager Jeff Hull, who worked on Wilmington's application with Planning Director Lynn Duncan, expressed surprise and disappointment that Wilmington wasn't named as one of the recipients.

"I felt our proposal was innovative as we tied it into several components," said Hull adding, "from what I was told, our proposal was very competitive and we only lost out by a couple of tenths of a point.

Part of the reason Wilmington lost out, said Hull, was because it doesn't have enough low to moderate income households and its unemployment figure reportedly wasn't as low as in other towns.

Hull said both he and Duncan had worked on similar applications in other towns and both felt Wilmington had a strong proposal with broad community support.

"I find it interesting that they didn't feel our need was great enough," said Hull. He went on to say the news will be disappointing to local residents who qualify and were counting on getting monetary help for such things as a failed septic system.



Taste test

Making gingerbread houses is lots of fun, but Daniel Travis found that best part is licking the extra frosting off your fingers. Mrs. Jones' kindergarten class made gingerbread houses with graham crackers, milk cartons, frosting and decorations last Tuesday.

## Two homes hit by fire

Two Wilmington families had their holidays marred by fire on Sunday. No injuries were reported, and fire damage was minimal.

The Bennett home at 25 Burlington Ave. had a minor fire start about 5 p.m. Nobody was injured in the fire, which is said to have started with a heating cable on a pipe in a crawl space.

An Advent candle left burning resulted in a fire at the home of Ralph Merullo on Dadant Drive.

Lt. Eddie Corcoran said the family had left a candle burning in an advent wreath on a table, with nobody home. The alarm came in at 7:51 p.m.

The fire, he said, was confined to one room, with most of the damage occurring only to the table.

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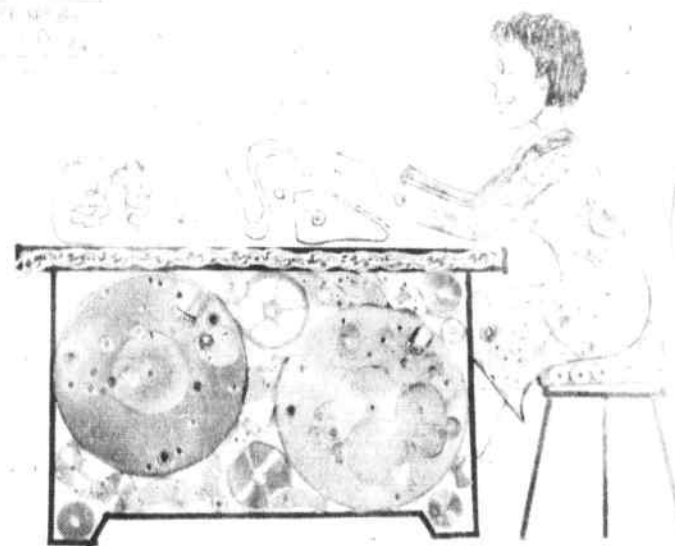
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Window scene

The Jensens have a rather small house, but it is big enough to accommodate an entire Christmas village in the front window. The beautiful scene has become a tradition at 19 Salem St. in Wilmington.

## Christmas display a traffic-stopper

by Arlene Surprenant

Traffic jams are a common occurrence in front of the Jensen home in Wilmington during the Christmas season. It's not unusual to see five or six cars pulled over to the side of Salem Street near the Tewksbury line, or to see youngsters with their noses pressed against the Jensen's front window at night.

The attraction? A snow village display bathed in blue and white lights that makes visitors catch their breath in awe both at the detailed scenes spread out in the three-dimensional backdrop and the work which must be involved in setting up the village each year.

Barbara Jensen admits to taking on the major responsibility for the display. She gets help from her husband Carl, her daughter Joyanne, and her four and a half year old grandson Michael. For the past five years, Barbara has been collecting an assortment of ceramic buildings, trees, and figurines as well as assorted vehicles, elves, santas, and skiers to use in her village. She gets most of her figures and buildings from flea markets. Once in awhile friends point her in the direction of a new find.

Barbara became interested in setting up a village after enjoying one at a friend's home. She started

out small scale just for her own family's pleasure until it evolved into a major undertaking each year.

Barbara begins setting up the plywood base and molding each mountain out of a foam rubber that hardens as it sets about three weeks before Thanksgiving. Each of the 40 or so buildings are wired with individual lights that come up through a hole in the plywood. Each wired house has its own circuit breaker. On Thanksgiving Eve the village is ready and the lights are officially turned on for the Christmas season.

There is so much going on in the village that it takes awhile for the casual observer to take it all in. There is, for instance, a white church with a bride and groom out front next to a Rolls Royce with a Just Married sign. There are two motorized tramway cars from Germany that move up and down the mountain past the Annalee skiers and a tinsel waterfall. At the base of the waterfall is a skating pond and a campfire complete with the appropriate figurines. A motorized bus and truck move on a track which circles a train station, post office, gas station, and lighted Christmas tree stand in the downtown area. Further back are the villagers' homes. One is for

sale and shows a man on a ladder placing a garland of greens on the front porch. Out front is the doghouse, trash barrel, fire hydrant, and resident dog. Reindeer and elves frolic in the snow near bell ringers from the Salvation Army. Seven drummers with bells are lined up at the entrance and, at the flick of a switch, display their musical talent.

Barbara says just seeing visitors' faces as they enjoy the village makes all the work worthwhile.

"We have alot of people that come. I'm glad they enjoy it. Sometimes there's cars on both sides of the street. I've even had people leave notes in my mailbox," says Barbara. She went on to explain that each year she adds a little more to the scene and tries to pay special attention to detail. New this year are the bell ringers, a flag pole, and a statue of Mark Twain. Barbara's already looking ahead to next year and a train which will hopefully tunnel under the mountains.

"I just love Christmas. I'm like the kid in this family," she says with a laugh.

When the season is over and the traffic disperses, Barbara is ready to take her display down. Each piece is then wrapped separately and stored away for another year.

## Women told sewer hookup impossible

Two women met with the Wilmington Water & Sewer Commissioners last Thursday in a fruitless attempt to provide a sewer connection for a house. One of the women, Charlene McLaine and her husband had just bought a home on the Mass. Avenue extension in Wilmington from an out-of-state bank. They arrived in town to learn that the house had a failed cesspool.

They were visiting the sewer department to find out what they

had to do to get sewer service. Someone had told them that it would be "high priced," because there was "boiling sand" from the failed cesspool.

An eight inch sewer had been laid, some years ago to a nearby point. Where it was ended a five inch pipe had been attached so that, some time in the future service could be supplied to another home. Not one, but two such services were in existence, through the same pipe.

Chairman Arthur Smith told the

women that it was absolutely impossible to serve more homes through that pipe. It is, he said "just the thing that the contractors would like to see us do!"

The contractors, Smith said, would insist on getting the same treatment. They would take the commissioners to court, and show how they were being "mistreated."

A chart was checked, and it showed room for five more houses on the "street." "Three plus five is eight," said Smith "through a five inch pipe! Then we would get those conservation people down our neck!"

The women were told the only way they could get sewer service was to pay for an eight inch sewer pipe. The new owners did not have the money, they said.

Commissioner James Ring advised the women to go after the bank which sold them the house.

The discussion lasted nearly one hour.

## CPR course Jan. 8

The Greater Lowell Family YMCA will be offering a CPR course on Wednesday January 8 from 5 to 9 p.m. Offered in collaboration with the American Heart Association, the course teachers recognized methods of resuscitation for adults who have

stopped breathing and/or have no pulse. "CPR education is recommended for the general public and its methods have proven to be lifesavers frequently," said YMCA Fitness Director Stephen Komanecky. The course offers a one year certification upon successful completion.

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Albert Rand, President of CEO said, "This award continues a program which originated in 1978. For 13 years we have provided real-time maintenance data systems for the Air Force's world wide fleet of F-16s. This contract is part of our advanced data systems work which assists the Department of Defense in keeping vital weapon systems at full combat readiness through the use of information technology."

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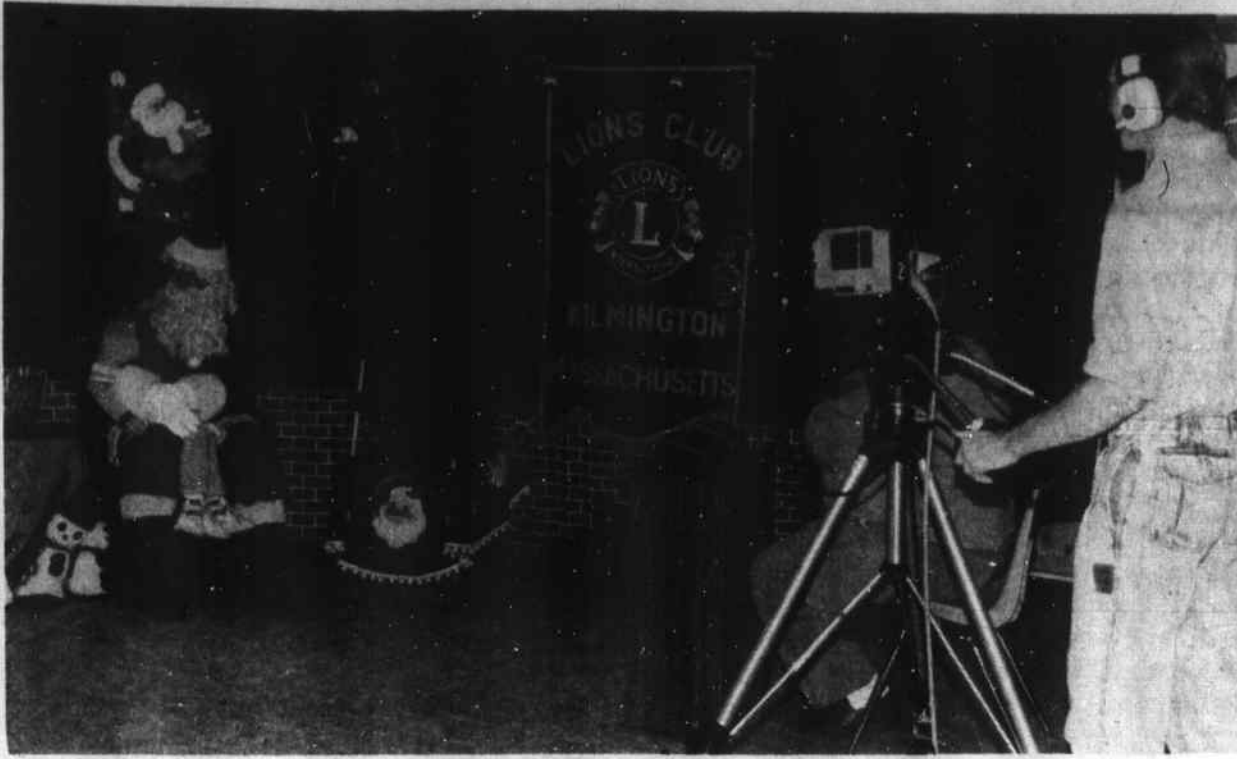
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**Santa on the tube**

The Wilmington Lions Club teamed up with WCTV, community access television, for a televised Santa's Workshop on Saturday. After telling Santa their Christmas wishes, youngsters were asked to sing a Christmas song. Chad Maderia is shown sitting on Santa's knee.



**Menagerie**

Members and friends of the Wilmington Lions Club were in costume outside Santa's Workshop at the Swain School, greeting children who came to visit Santa.



**Lion or walrus?**

Mike Leonardo, in the arms of his father, Jim, was entertained by Lion Roger Gouldsbrough in walrus costume.

#### **Nomination papers available Jan 2**

Nomination papers will be available for candidates in Wilmington's April election beginning January 2. Papers may be obtained at the Town Clerk's office in the town hall on Glen Road from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. until the February 27 deadline.

#### **• Olin**

(Continued from Page One) can be found to clean up the site. Morrow added that any water and soil samples brought to the surface are immediately put into drums then taken to be analyzed.

Chabot praised the company and hydrogeologists from Conestoga-Rovers for their professionalism and for "keeping us up to date every step of the way."

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## **Holiday happenings in schools**

by Arlene Surprenant  
Wilmington students have been busy this month helping to give Wilmington residents and those less fortunate than they are a Merry Christmas.

Sixth grade students at the North Intermediate School have been busy raising money and collecting gifts for patients at the New England Pediatric Care Center in North Billerica. The Center is a nursing home for severely and multiple handicapped residents from infancy up to age 21.

The Middle Schoolers held fundraisers like Guess the Baby contest, pencil sales, and a drive to collect recycled cans. Students were also asked to take in small gifts from a "wish list" suggested by the Center. Donated items included stockings, hats, mittens, soap, and t-shirts. All the gifts plus a check was to be turned over to the home last week.

Janet Merlino, a teacher at the North, has been coordinating the effort for the past three years. Participants hope that their collective effort makes the holidays brighter for the patients, some of whom have no families to turn to during the holiday season.

At Wilmington High, the student council donated \$300 to help support a local family this season. The money will go to towards food

and Christmas gifts for the six children in the family. The effort was coordinated by advisor Linda Peters.

Under the guidance of advisor Diane Trueblood, the Class of '92 raised \$200 which was turned over to the Wilmington Fire Department for a needy family this Christmas.

The Medical Careers Club at the high school sponsored a clothing drive for local families this month. Both students and staff participated in the drive under the direction of Club Advisor Norma Rushton. Club members as well as members of the Peer Leadership group continue to prepare meals once a month for Bread and Roses, a shelter in Lawrence. About 45 students participate in the program and plan to take gifts and food to the shelter this month.

Bill Peabody, a teacher at the West Intermediate School, has been coordinating a food drive this month at the school. Students and staff alike were generous in their donations of canned goods and prepackaged food, all of which went to St. Thomas' Church for distribution to local families.

Teacher John Fahey also spearheaded a food drive for the needy at the Woburn Street School. The drive covered all the elementary schools. Students in each grade were assigned a different

item to take in as their contribution.

Besides performing at the annual Christmas Concert, the high school Jazz Band played a selection of songs for the Wilmington Womens Club in early December. Not to be outdone, the ever Popular Show Choir was invited to sing at the Rotary luncheon last Wednesday. Under the direction of Barbara Mette and Susan Zraket, the high school band and flag squad marched in the annual Santa Claus Parade in Lawrence on December 8.

#### **• Food pantry**

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Churches to stir up interest in the idea and sign up volunteers who would canvas the community for contributions or work in the distribution center. DiPalma said they'd like to coordinate efforts of other groups in town, which are collecting food, under the umbrella of the Community Fund and make The Commissary a real community effort.

"The interest is there; I think this can take off," said DiPalma.

"I think it will be successful, but it's going to take alot of work," added Hatchey.

Anyone who would like to volunteer some time to work at the pantry or who knows of a vacant building that could house The Commissary is asked to contact either Bob (658-5107) or Jim (658-6617). Residents, meanwhile, are asked to hold onto food or cash donations until a location is announced. Those foods most in demand are staples like baked beans, rice, cereal, pasta, tomato sauce, peanut butter, meals in cans, prepackaged meals, dry milk, coffee, tea, soup, tuna fish, flour, sugar, and baby food.

## **Students of the month at WHS**

Kerry Cunio and Matt McManus have been named students of the month for December at Wilmington High School.

#### **Kerry Cunio**

Kerry is the daughter of Robert and Mary Cunio. She is the drum major of the Wildcat marching band as well as a member of the concert and jazz bands. She is co-captain of the basketball cheerleaders and plays softball.

Kerry participates as a volunteer in the Bread and Roses soup kitchen program in Lawrence and as a student office aid at the high school.

She is president of the Medical Career Club and has recently been

accepted and plans to attend St. Auselm College, where she intends to major in nursing.

#### **Matt McManus**

Matt is the son of Marylou McManus and is ranked 12th in his class. He is a member of the National Honor Society and actively involved in Peer Leadership at Wilmington High school dealing with sixth grade drug and alcohol education. He plays varsity soccer, basketball and baseball.

Matt plans to earn his degree in physical therapy and play baseball at either Northeastern University, Quinnipiac College, University of Conn., or UNH.

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# Opinion



## point of view

### A grab-bag of gifts, slightly warped

by Arlene Suprenant

The gift giving season is upon us once again. As in past years, we welcome the chance to bestow a few well-chosen presents on Wilmington's more well known residents and officials - all in fun of course.

To the following:

**Performing Arts Director Lorraine Kalil:** A new piano to match the newly renovated Barrows Auditorium.

**School Supt. Bill Fay:** A bag of M&Ms to replace the ones he ate at the Rotary Auction.

**Mrs. Harry Cunningham:** A Chippendale Calendar with her husband prominently displayed on the cover.

**Harry Cunningham:** A gift certificate to the Y to get in shape for his big debut.

**Town Manager Michael Caira:** A miracle — that's what it will take to come in with a balanced budget and no layoffs next year.

**Water and Sewer Commission Chairman Arthur Smith:** A fan club.

**Bob Cronan:** A septic system good for a lifetime.

**WTA's Judy Revelas:** An 8 by 10 glossy of Kevin Sowyrda to use for target practice.

**Kevin Sowyrda:** Less poison in his pen and a shield for all those slings and arrows.

**Town Clerk Pat Ward:** A winning lottery ticket so she can travel in style after she retires.

**Principal Assessor Tony Krzeminski:** A fat pencil and a magnifying glass for use during his next tax classification hearing.

**Anne Linehan:** A brook she can call her own.

**Town Moderator Jim Stewart:** A portable microphone in good working order.

**WHA Executive Director Ella Belmore:** An apartment at Deming Way so she can be on 24 hour call.

**WHA Chairman Tom Siracusa:** A seat on the board of selectmen. Who else has the courage of his convictions and would take an issue straight to the State House?

**Vera Scolastico:** Some fresh air.

**School Committeeman Peg Kane:** A direct line to the D.A.'s

office.

**Neil Buckley:** Another shot at the permanent slot on the Board of Appeals.

**Selectman Bob Cain:** A long life so he may eventually see his case against Mike McCoy come to court.

**Michael McCoy:** A new home in Billerica next door to Fred Stone.

**Liliana and Arcangelo DeCenzo:** A champagne toast to the New Year — better make that Perrier.

**Selectman Mark Haldane:** A new camera angle.

**Selectmen Chairman Dan Ballou:** Another 50 years as a lifelong resident of Wilmington.

**School Committee Chairman Aldo Caira:** Just for a change - a unified school committee.

**Brad Jackson:** The "Always a Bridesmaid, Never a Bride" award. Better luck next year.

**Al Fessenden:** Job security.

**Bob LaVita:** A new whistle for Rec basketball games.

**Health Board Chairman Jim Ficociello:** A smoke free town.

**Helen Sears:** A family wedding consultant for three weddings in 1992.

**Walter Pierce:** A free vacation in Methuen.

**The Wildcat Varsity Football Squad:** A video of their big win against Tewksbury on Turkey Day.

**Dot Butler:** Another try at the housing authority.

**Conservation Commissioner Bill MacKinnon:** A vernal pond and a couple of extra Christmas trees from Stu.

**Tewksbury Reporter Bill Conlon:** Some glue to hold that telephone in place on his shoulder while on deadline.

**Ken Blowers:** Belated recognition for his work in cleaning up the Alderwood Acres Conservation land on Kenwood Avenue.

**Ken undertook the job last spring as part of his Eagle Scout project.**

**Permanent Building Committee:** A new job to tackle in 1992.

To all our faithful readers who didn't make this year's list, we wish you health and happiness in the year ahead. Merry Christmas!

## frankly speaking

by Kevin John Sowyrda

Last Monday night's Yuletide special town meeting had its winners and losers, as meetings of the past always have. The real winners, other than those reclined in living rooms, cable-TV-connected to sewer controversy and budget housekeeping, were a few politicians who proved that the real brains in American politics are still vested locally.

Just as Tip O'Neill said, "All politics is local."

The losers, true to form, were those not knowing how to lighten up. They just don't get it because the primary lesson of politics is never to take yourself too seriously, lest the voters do the same.

The ultimate winner is fincom chair Paul Palizzolo, who gave a stirring speech which should be the boilerplate for any aspiring school committee candidate in the 1992 municipal election. Rising in despair to address an education budget process he said has gone awry, Palizzolo berated a school committee reigning in King Leer majesty over "let them eat cake" contracts, unrealistic with the year's Depression events. The budget chief also assailed basic school services, allegedly double the cost of "town side" government. Aside from the special interests, voters seemed to relish Palizzolo's dignified presentation, which if given a title would be remembered as, "While Rome Burned."

Brad Jackson should get a tape of this one and just keep repeating it on the local circuit starting January 2. He'll consequently be a shoo-in. Better yet, Palizzolo should run - for president.

Other winners, along with the new, comfortable seats, were the selectmen and town manager. Scrapping the sewer connector and opting for a 12-man study committee (that voter was right, they hardly needed our blessing) was the smart political move if not the best policy for the sake of Wilmington's infrastructure. Traditionally, town fathers prefer not to miff these overnight neighborhood associations which are usually created via telephone, meeting in kitchen and living rooms, and consisting of 12 or 13 members, non-dues-paying at that.

Too bad for the sewer line, because on this rare occasion they had more than 12 or 13.

Mike Caira's self-esteem wasn't hurt any when voters gave a unanimous voice vote on his budget revisions. When was the last time town meeting voters gave a unanimous vote on anything, except adjournment? The overwhelming support garnered by the savvy manager was another strong indication of high voter confidence, and for the first time in years the manager is, at least in perception, the key player on the scene quarter-backing a consistent municipal agenda.

Town meeting losers? Plenty as usual.

Topping the list like the star on the Christmas tree was water and sewer chairman "Czarthur" Smith, who brings new meaning to the phrase, "silence is deafening." Smith might not be all that bad a water commissioner but his political and public relations skills are right down there with John Silber's.

Smith won little respect for his colorful reaction to the defeat of his Northeast Interceptor project. After all was said and done, the commissioner made like a reindeer for the door, with the board of selectmen intercepting what one board member called "the Italian salute." Our dear commissioner was in such a state of holiday stress that someone might have said, "Do we have a Clarence in the house, he looks like he's going to pull a George Bailey on the Route 62 bridge!?"

Next time Arthur, make sure you bring Noel Barretta. He's a definite vote getter.

Smith's luck Monday night was as stale as former selectman candidate Tony Capuano's, who probably has arthritis after waving his arm stubbornly in air for 20 minutes trying to get the floor. Either Capuano needs a longer and more distinctive appendage, or Jim Stewart a Pearl Vision gift certificate.

## Briefly in politics . . .

Twas the night before Christmas when all through the house,

Not a committee was meeting, no gavels, no sounds. Sued selectmen were hung in Tewksbury with fear, In hopes that a settlement soon would be there. The Camaras were nestled all snug in their beds, While visions of lawsuits danced in their heads. When out on town common trash caused such a clatter, Still Kelly proclaimed, "It's a trivial matter." Away to their phones voters flew like a flash, "Conlon and Looney, account for my cash!" When what to my wondering eyes should appear, But Representative Miceli and his Wilmington deer. Unruly like Michael his colleagues they came, Yet, Jim whistled and shouted and called them by name, "Now Chester, stop Danny, stop Bobby and Mark, Oh Shirley, oh Peggy, why Andrea," he'd bark. To 'DA' and 'AG' the women they did call, Now vote away, vote away, vote away all. But I heard a taxpayer explain our plight, "Let's hope '92 sets our politics right." Merry Christmas to all, and to all a good night.

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## 25 years ago

The December 29, 1966 edition of the Town Crier noted that:

Monte Green, president of the All New England Stadium and Arena Corp. was scheduled to make an announcement in January regarding the future of the planned Wilmington stadium.

He said his plan had the endorsement of 17 Chambers of Commerce who favor construction of the stadium on the 125 acre complex his corporation owned in No. Wilmington.

Directors of the Middlesex County Bank declared a regular semi annual cash dividend of \$1.00 per share plus an extra cash dividend of 40 cents per share, payable January 16 to shareholders of record on January 10.

Pictured on the front page playing first trumpets in WHS Orchestra at the high school Christmas program were Andy Gianino, Tommy Silvers, David Winters and David Mason.

Local football hero, Jackie Bowen played in the Sun Bowl the day before Christmas and was enjoying the Christmas holidays at home.

Kevin McKelvey of Border Avenue completed eight weeks of advanced infantry training at Fort Dix, N.J.

St. Dorothy's Choir, directed by James Noll, sang in the Prudential Center in Boston during the Christmas holidays on a special stage in the lobby of the 52 story Prudential Tower.

In Wilmington, a new five and a half room ranch house was advertised for \$14,900; in Tewksbury, a custom built Colonial with four bedrooms, one and a half baths and porch on an acre and a half, was offered for \$26,500.

Retired Salvation Army Colonel Fred Fahey of Federal Street addressed the Wilmington Rotary Club regarding the Army, to which he belonged for many years.

Christmas in the Greer plant on Main Street, saw 3500 pounds of turkey distributed to employees.

Elia's market offered egg nog at \$1.19 a half gallon; Maxwell house coffee, 69 cents a pound; and cocktail franks at 79 cents a package.

## Letters to the editor

The Town Crier welcomes letters to the editor. To be published letters must be signed. Names may be withheld if requested. Mail to: Town Crier P.O. Box 460 Wilmington, MA 01887



## Tewksbury deserves presents, too!

by Bill Conlon

What to give ... what to give ... It would take the Three Wise Men to draw up a suitable gift list for a town like Tewksbury (not that you'll find any wise folks on these pages), but 1991 is a particularly tough year for picking presents.

Unemployment is rampant in Tewksbury, and so is melancholy. Countless folks this season are enduring lives of quiet suffering, and they deserve better. For the unlucky and unhappy we offer this list of humorous pokes, because everybody deserves a laugh for the holidays. Just don't take this list seriously, please?

This year in town has been ... um ... active, to say the least. The selectmen's TV show was the hottest program in town, week after week, until the April election day shocker when Lou Carciofi unexpectedly bought the farm. We'll give Lou a VCR and tapes of the Best of The Selectmen, along with best wishes for the Master Plan, which he's worked long and hard to produce.

Tom Camara will receive a copy of Better Homes & Gardens, highlighted to show the nation's prettiest yards. For comparison.

Jeanne Camara, however, gets a gift certificate to the Picadilly Pub, if her membership to the Pals is approved in April.

Selectman Jay Kelley receives a map of Burlington, to find the office for placing legal ads. Where is it? Nobody knows.

Dave Cressman gets a truck-load of asphalt, to pave the roads in town so the Rotary Club will off his back. He must be tired of taking blame for the rough roads. Also, a season ticket to the Mass Millions, since the state won't send millions any other way.

Pat Cressman gets a stuffed journalist doll, with pins, for those rare times when her hubby's name appears in print. And an award, richly deserved, for her superb quilts.

The Town of Tewksbury receives a set of duelling pistols, so that political feuds may be settled quickly, and permanently, but out of the public's view. Maybe Harry Patterson has a good spot.

Governor Bill Weld gets a Massachusetts hunting license for 1992. He prefers to hunt the wilds of New York State? With all the great work done here on game management? Come now, guy!

Town Crier ad whiz John O'Neill gets a 1992 hunting license as well, so he can wear his L.L. Bean "Maine Hunting Shoes" where they were intended, and not on the trendy streets of Andover.

Police officer Chris Coviello gets enough seniority to put him somewhere other than first place in the Layoff List.

Treasurer Warren Carey, along with a season ticket to Mass Cash, gets a bottle of something -- anything -- to put in his drink when the Pals gather. Plain water, no ice? No thanks?

State Rep. Jim Miceli will get a Legislative commendation and a letter of thanks from the Governor, for handing out commendation letters for virtually everything. He does keeps printers employed.

Selectman Charlie Coppola gets a season Megabucks ticket, so that trash fees will become unnecessary. It wasn't any fun, was it?

Bub Manley, town hall custodian, gets a set of fancy sunglasses and a snazzy T-shirt for his 18th birthday in February. His big day is February 29, the quadrennial Leap Day, so guess his real age.

Editor "Fred" Neilson gets rock-proof office windows. He's the one who decides editorial policy, and then he gets to replace the glass. There's a lesson in there, somewhere. Gotta be.

Ad Manager Stu Neilson gets one of two plane tickets to Lost Wages, Nevada, so he can buy me that drink he promised. Now, if I could just get my Minister of Finance to agree ... hmmm.

All the tea in China is a little too much, so Arlene Surprenant

can have all the tea in Wilmington. Fair enough?

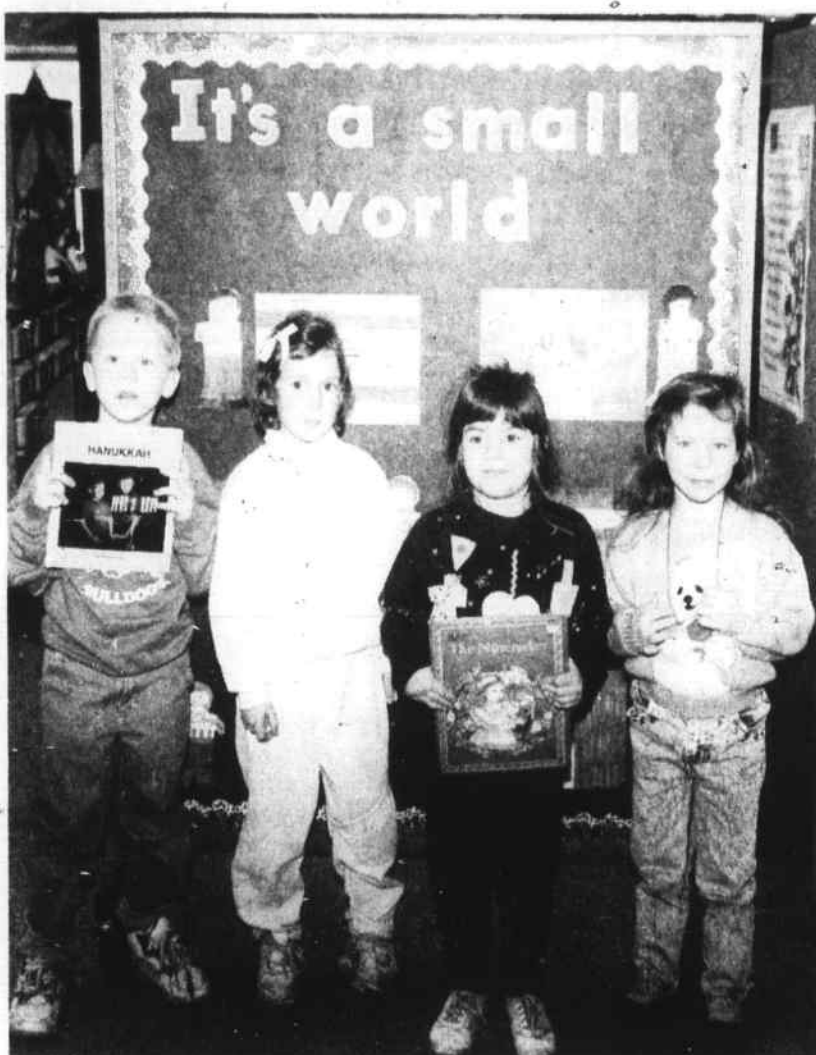
The assorted union employees of Tewksbury get tickets to the Broadway hit Les Miserables. Thanks for the concessions, they did help, but don't expect much "payback" in the coming year.

The Tewksbury Teachers Association gets a lump of coal, for letting their members endure the layoff axe instead of making concessions. The wisdom escapes everyone.

Capt. Larz Neilson gets a Polaroid camera, but those are slow, too. Hmm. How about a camera that produces prints BEFORE the pictures are taken? Much better! Done!

What can you give someone who already has the ultimate gift -- a transplanted organ? A good question. I'll give my missus, Mary Ann, another 20 years if they'll go by as smoothly as the last 10 months. No more rollercoasters, okay?

Front desk chief Jeannie Purtell gets a tanker full of my wife's wild Concord Grape jelly and a truck load of crackers. Oh, and a Dustbuster to get the crumbs off the sheets.



Yuletide learning

Instead of studying Christmas, these youngsters at Tewksbury's Heath Brook School studied traditions of other countries, in a reading effort called "It's a Small World." Shown here (l to r) are Chris Kapust, Kaitlyn Fuller, Michelle Salvato and Bonny Willett.



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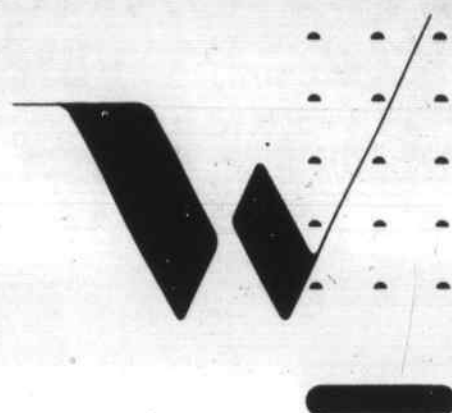
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1991: ANNUAL REPORT

## *Dear Wilmington Residents:*

**W**e made a commitment to the Wilmington community when we purchased the Regional Health in Wilmington in March of 1990. We vowed to continue to offer the full range of medical services the community has become accustomed to receiving. As 1991 comes to a close, we'd like to share with you a review of the growing relationship between the Regional Health Center, Winchester Hospital and you, the residents of Wilmington.

### **AMBULATORY SERVICES**

In 1991, over 25,000 visits to our health center were from members of the Wilmington community. Wilmington residents have clearly come to rely on the health center as a primary source for medical care.

To better meet your primary care needs, we expanded the internal medicine and pediatric practices at the health center. These highly qualified physicians, all members of the Winchester Hospital Medical and Dental staff, provided services to Wilmington residents on 7,500 different occasions in 1991. The walk-in/urgent care service, now under the direction of Jon Jenkins, M.D., Chairman of the Emergency Medicine Department at Winchester Hospital, attended to the immediate medical needs of over 4,000 Wilmington residents this year. Walk-in/urgent care continues to operate from 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 p.m., 7 days a week, 365 days a year, providing Wilmington residents a convenient, accessible alternative to emergency care.

### **INPATIENT**

In 1991, nearly 800 Wilmington residents were admitted to Winchester Hospital. The people of Wilmington have come to rely on our caring and experienced medical, nursing and support staff for their inpatient health care needs. We've provided them a full range of medical, surgical and obstetrical services including our evolving expertise in gastroenterology, cardiology, pulmonary and orthopedics.

### **BIRTHS**

There were 82 new Wilmington residents born at Winchester Hospital this year. These newborns and their families continue to enjoy our Childbirth Center, and have access to our Level II nursery, a unique resource in this area which provides advanced medical care for infants with special clinical needs.

### **VISITING NURSE SERVICES**

Visiting Nurse and Healthcare, Inc. is part of the Winchester Hospital system which enables us to offer continuity of care to our patients. With many visits to Wilmington homes in 1991, we were able to offer support and comfort to our patients with home care needs.

### **HUMAN RESOURCES**

In addition to our role as a healthcare provider, we are one of the area's leading employers with 95 Wilmington residents working at Winchester Hospital or the Regional Health Center.

### **LOOKING AHEAD**

Our top priority is to meet your needs by providing you the best possible medical care. By listening to you, our patients, and the physicians who serve you, we can continue to introduce new programs, facilities and technologies to meet your needs. As we look to 1992 several initiatives are already underway.

- ▶ A full complement of board certified internal medicine and pediatric physicians offering high quality medical services are available at the health center days and evenings, for your convenience.
- ▶ The Regional Health Center will undergo significant renovation to reconfigure ambulatory services to improve patient flow and the delivery of medical care.
- ▶ This fall Winchester Hospital announced an innovative cardiology affiliation with Boston's renowned Beth Israel Hospital, in cooperation with our cardiologists, which will benefit all patients needing medical and surgical cardiac care.
- ▶ The Suburban SurgiCenter, an efficient facility for day surgery, will open in April in renovated facilities on the former Choate Hospital campus.

We look forward to continuing our growing relationship with the Wilmington community in 1992. We wish you a healthy and a happy holiday season.

*Sincerely,*

*Eugene E. Loubier*

Eugene E. Loubier

President

Winchester Hospital



# Coming events

## datebook

**Fri., Dec. 27:** 8 p.m. to midnight, Singles dance at K of C Hall, Rt. 38, Tewksbury. Call (617) 729-4664.

**Sat., Dec. 28:** 8:30 p.m., Singles dance at K of C Hall, Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington. Call (617) 942-0165.

**Mon., Dec. 30:** 7 to 8:30 p.m., Free workshop to help family and friends intervene in someone's active chemical abuse. High Point, 2580 Main St., Tewks. Call (800) 332-4478.

**Tues., Dec. 31:** 8 p.m. to 1 a.m., New Year's Eve party at Sons of Italy. Call 657-4141 for reservations.

**Mon., Jan. 6:** 5:30 to 6:20 p.m. and 6:30 to 7:20; exercise for health program begins at NE Occupational Health Center (617-979-7057).

**Mon., Jan. 6:** 1 to 7 p.m., Red Cross Blood Drive at Reg. Health Center in Wil. Call 657-3910, ext. 559.

**Mon., Jan. 6:** NE Center Building Design and Construction Program classes at Woburn's Joyce Middle School, Locust Street. Call (617) 320-8000, ext. 88026.

**Mon., Jan. 6 and 13:** 6 to 10 p.m., Infant CPR course at Reg. Health Ctr. Call (617) 756-2220.

**Wed., Jan. 8:** Wil. Rec modeling/finishing program for grades six to 12. Call 658-4270 for details.

### Sen. McGovern office hours

Senator Patricia McGovern has announced her office hours for the month of December. During these times, the Senator or a member of her staff will be available to discuss issues of concern with residents of her district which includes Tewksbury.

The office hours will be held in Tewksbury town hall from 10 a.m. to noon and from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 9.

**Wed., Jan. 8:** 5 to 9 p.m., CPR course at Greater Lowell Family YMCA. Call 454-7825.

**Thurs., Jan. 9:** 10 a.m. to noon and 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sen. McGovern office hours at Tewks. Town Hall.

**Thurs., Jan. 9:** 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Red Cross Blood Drive at Tewks. State Hospital. Call (800) 258-0025, ext. 2091.

**Fri., Jan. 10:** 3 to 6 p.m., Nat. Park Serv. Job Fair at Mogan Cultural Center, 40 French St., Lowell.

**Fri., Jan. 10:** 8:30 p.m., Singles Dance at K of C Hall, Main St., Tewks. Call 8991-3750.

**Tues., Jan. 14:** 7 p.m., Alzheimer's support group meets at Tewks. Senior Center.

**Wed., Jan. 15:** 8 p.m., retirement party for Wil. Town Clerk Pat Ward at Casa di Fior. Call Kay Scanlon at 658-2408 or 658-2030.

**Thurs., Jan. 16:** 7 p.m., Woburn Street School Pac will sponsor an Aids Awareness Program in the school cafeteria. Public invited.

**Tues., Jan. 21:** 7 to 9 p.m., Financial aid workshop at WHS cafeteria. Call (508) 694-6068.

**Sat., Jan. 25:** 7 p.m. Wil. Boosters Association Scholarship Dance, at Sons of Italy Hall, includes buffet and door prizes. Call 658-4769.

### Wildcat Boosters scholarship dance

The Wilmington High School Athletic Boosters Association will sponsor its annual scholarship dance Saturday, January 25, 1992 at the Wilmington Sons of Italy Hall, Ballardvale Street, at 7 p.m.

Donations include a buffet, dancing and door prizes. For information and tickets, call (508) 658-4769.

## Chamber of Commerce upcoming events

### Upcoming Chamber of Commerce Activities:

**Jan. 21:** (tentative) - Women in Business meeting - "Logo Designing - Projecting a Proper Image." Speaker will be Cassie Doyon.

**Jan. 22:** Membership Committee meeting; 8 a.m. - chamber office.

**Feb. 8:** Annual dinner and Mystery Theatre at the Casa di Fior, 7 to 12 p.m. Cost per person: \$30.

This is sure to be an "alarming," fun-filled evening so watch for your invitation in the mail.

Local businesswomen enjoyed a light buffet supper at the Chamber office last Wednesday then traveled to a "Christmas Pops" performance at the North Shore Music Theatre. The highlight of the evening was renditions of favorite Christmas music.

## Job fair Jan. 10 for Lowell Historic Park

Lowell National Historical Park is accepting applications for Summer 1992 temporary jobs as Park Rangers, Lock Tenders, Trolley Flaggers, and maintenance and clerical workers. A Job Fair will be held on Friday, January 10 from 3 to 6 p.m. at the Mogan Cultural Center, 40 French St., Lowell.

Employment information and federal job application assistance will be available at the Job Fair, as well as applications for seasonal

Park Ranger positions in National Parks throughout the U.S., in Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and Guam.

For more information contact Lowell National Historical Park, Personnel Department, 169 Merrimack St., second floor, Lowell. Applicants must be 18 years of age and U.S. citizens. Lowell National Historical Park is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer.

## Exercise for Health

You can keep fit this winter by enrolling in the "Exercise for Health" program that begins in January at the New England Occupational Health Center, 66B Concord St., Wilmington.

This coeducational exercise class features a combination of high and low impact aerobics for conditioning, toning exercises for hips, thighs and abdomen, along with strengthening and flexibility

exercises. Varied fitness levels are accommodated. The class is held Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays beginning January 6. Separate classes are held from 5:30 to 6:20 and 6:30 to 7:20 p.m.

For more information or to register for Exercise for Health, call the New England Memorial Hospital Center for Health Promotion at (617) 979-7057.

## spring registration

Middlesex Community College, The Open Campus: Continuing Education/Community Services has announced the start of evening registration for the spring term. Classes begin the week of January 27, 1992. Registration hours have been scheduled for the following locations:


**Burlington:** Burlington Campus, Terrace Hall avenue,

Tuesday, January 14, 5 to 7:30 p.m. Program coordinators and counselors will be available.

**Lowell:** City Campus, Kearney Square, Wednesday, January 15, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Program coordinators and counselors will be available.

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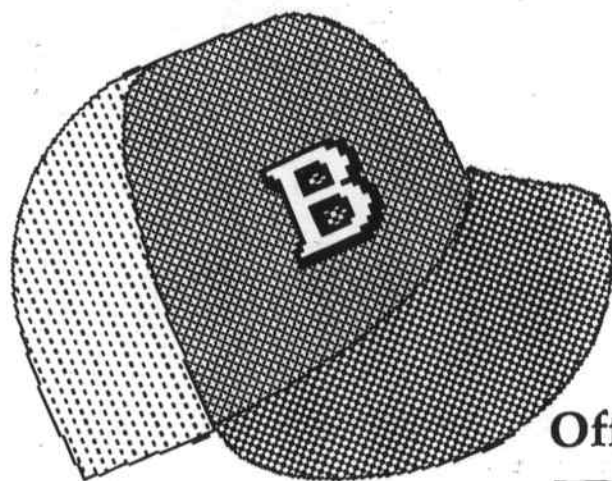
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**To audition for honors**

Four Wilmington High School students will be performing at the Collins Center in Andover on January 11 for the Northeast District Auditions. James Gleason (left) will be singing for Chorus Tenor, Angela Gosse (shown playing the piano) will play for Orchestra Trumpet 1 - First Chair, Janee Woods (right) will sing for Chorus Soprano and Kristen Lubanski (not in photo) will sing for Chorus Alto. Gosse and Gleason also have received All State recommendations.

**Video production courses offered in Wilmington**

Wilmington Community Television Inc. (WCTV) is offering basic access video production training courses for Wilmington residents to learn how to produce local programming for Wilmington. The Thursday evening class runs for seven weeks from 6:30 to 8 starting January 9. The Saturday morning class runs for seven weeks from 9 to 11 starting January 11. The course fee is \$30 per person and is open to those people who either live or work in Wilmington. For more information and registration, call WCTV at 657-4066.

**Wilmington WCTV cable schedule**

**Channel 30: Public Access**  
 Thurs., Dec. 26: 6 p.m., United Methodist Church service of 12/25; 7:30 p.m., Uniquely Wilmington; 8 p.m., Skiing with Bill Peabody and Frank Birmingham.  
 Fri., Dec. 27: 7 p.m., Sports Roundup; 8 p.m., Messiah.  
 Sat., Dec. 28: 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Lions Club Santa Visit.  
 Sun., Dec. 29: 1, 5 and 8 p.m., United Methodist Church service.  
 Mon., Dec. 30: 5:30 p.m., The Truth Will Set You Free; 7 p.m., Open Door Baptist Church.  
 Thurs., Jan. 2: 6 p.m., United Methodist Church service of 12/25; 7:30 p.m., Uniquely Wilmington; 8 p.m., Skiing with Bill Peabody and Frank Birmingham.

**Channel 52: Educational Access**  
 Thurs., Dec. 26: Barrows Auditorium Night; 7 p.m., In Pursuit of Excellence: "Your Tax Dollars - Renovate to Educate;" 7:49 p.m., Barrows Auditorium Renovation; 8 p.m., Dedication of Barrows Auditorium; 8:30 p.m., First Night, Concert at Barrows Auditorium.  
 Fri., Dec. 27: 8 p.m., North Intermediate School Geography Bee.  
 Mon., Dec. 30: 7 p.m., Bruce Schwoegler at Shawshen School.  
 Tues., Dec. 31: 7 p.m., Wildwood School Holiday Concert; 8 p.m., Shawshen School Holiday Concert; 9 p.m., Combined Elementary and Middle Schools Concert.  
 Wed., Jan. 1: 3 p.m., Wildwood School Holiday Concert; 4 and 6 p.m., Combined Elementary and Middle Schools Concert; 5 p.m., Shawshen School Holiday Concert.  
 Thurs., Jan. 2: 5 and 8 p.m., Bruce Schwoegler at Shawshen School; 9 p.m., North Intermediate School Geography Bee.

**Channel 56: Governmental Access**  
 To be announced.  
 This schedule may change without notice. Please refer to the WCTV Community Bulletin Board for further updates and community information.



Minor damage

The Bennett home at 25 Burlington Ave., Wilmington was damaged shortly after 5 p.m. on Sunday when a heating tape on a pipe in a crawl space ignited.

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**Wilmington senior topics**

**So-long, 1991**

As we say goodbye to 1991 with all the problems it brought the country, we look forward to 1992 and hope it will show itself with a smile, not the tears 1991 left us with.

Last year we welcomed a large number of residents who reached the age of 60 and many new residents 60 years of age and older who moved to Wilmington. On the other end of the spectrum we sadly mourned the loss of too many of our seniors. The majority of our new seniors swelled the number in our activity and social programs.

**Thanks, taxpayers, et al**  
 Thanks to the help of many, the needs of all residents who sought our help at the Senior Center and in their homes were met. This of course could not have been accomplished without the help of the taxpayers who approved our budget at the annual town meeting. Minuteman Home care for homemaking services for a total of \$148,478. We also thank the Federal and State through the Fuel Assistance I have received for fuel, repaired and replaced oil burners, for a total of \$83,614; the Department of Elder Affairs for an outreach grant of \$3100.

We thank the businesses and clubs: Kiwanis, for their monthly donation to the whist, annual shutin dinner and Thanksgiving donations for food and fuel for seniors in need; Lions Club for their annual senior citizen dinner dance and monthly food gift certificates; the Rotary Club for its monthly food gift certificate for our seniors in need.

Tewksbury/Wilmington Elks for their annual Thanksgiving dinner dance; all the merchants and friends who contributed gifts and money for the fair chance books; Maple Meadow Gardens for the annual Christmas Tree; Billerica House of Correction for painting the inside of the Buzzell Senior Citizen Center. Thanks also to the departments of the town for all their help in keeping the grounds around the center beautiful, the inside clean and repairs at all times, the protection of the center from vandals, the public building, maintenance and police departments.

**Fastest growing group**

The federal statistics have shown again this year the fastest growing segment of the population is the elderly. Many of those working over the age of 55 are being forced to take advantage of an early incentive retirement package, due to the economic condition in the state

and the country. To make jobs for younger people. Being in their 60s most are in good health and look forward to retirement, but after a few months of not knowing how to fill all those hours spent working, know they feel retiring is not as pleasurable as they thought it would be. They not only left their job, but also all the friends they had made working those many years. Not being involved actively, depression will take its toll on a senior's mental and physical health. To prevent this happening Wilmington has a very active senior center. Those 60 years and older were able to come in. We are happy they came an called for our help. The number of seniors entering the Center in 1991 for help, activity and socialization day after day was 22,595, the number of meals we delivered to those confined to their homes was 13,889; we served 6,572 meals at the lunch site, gave respite care to handicapped seniors 792 times and transported seniors to medical and other elder related travel 6,572 times. Photo id cards were given to 96 new seniors.

Let us not forget the large number of seniors who volunteered to help meet the needs of the elderly taxpayers. They worked endless hours in peer support, instruction activity programs, and many hours working on the fair, open house celebration and the annual picnic as well as making the money to pay for these socials.

To all we are very grateful and look forward to 1992.

**Volunteer, anyone?**  
 Starting the first of January I will have a book on the counter. I would like seniors to write their name, telephone number and any number of hours they can donate to me. With budgets being cut I will need a large number of volunteers to help with many programs.

I extend my hope to all that 1992 will be a very happy and healthy year.

**Wilmington police news**

During the week ending December 24, Wilmington Police Officers responded to 26 alarms, made four arrests and eight protective custody detentions, assisted other departments on four occasions, completed 11 bank escorts and investigated three reports of disorderly conduct.

Two domestic problems were quieted, four larcenies were reported, a motor vehicle was stolen and two vehicles were recovered.

Two persons were reported missing, medical assistance was rendered twice, five non criminal complaints were logged and nine public services were carried out.

One restraining order was issued, 11 traffic accidents were investigated and four traffic services were completed. Two trial bike complaints were taken, seven incidents of vandalism and alert neighbors reported three incidents of suspicious activity.

**Arrests**  
 At 9 a.m. Tuesday, Joe Harris, while on Harris Street, stopped and arrested William L. Collins of Everett. he was held on a Billerica warrant and later released to Billerica officers for appearance in Lowell Court.

On Thursday Officer Jon Shepard drove to Tewksbury to arrest Keith Kyberg, 26 of Andover on the basis of a default warrant. He was taken directly to Woburn Court.

At 10 p.m. Friday, Officer John Bossi arrested a Lowell man while on patrol on Main Street near the square. Richard Maille was charged with operating under the influence of liquor and operating after revocation of his drivers license. He was released on bail to appear in Woburn Court on Monday.

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# Sports

## TMHS winter sports schedule

### Boys' varsity basketball

#### January

Third, Fri., Methuen, 7:45 p.m.; 7, Tues., at Haverhill, 7:45 p.m.; 9, Thurs., St. John's Prep, 7:30; 14, Tues., Andover, 6 p.m.; 17, Fri., Lawrence, 7:45 p.m.; 21, Tues., at Lowell, 7:45 p.m.; 24, Fri., at Wilmington, 7:45 p.m.; 28, Tues., Chelmsford, 6 p.m.; 31, Fri., at Billerica, 7:45 p.m.

#### February

Fourth, Tues., Dracut, 7:45 p.m.; 7, Fri., at Methuen, 6 p.m.; 13, Thurs., at St. John's Prep, 7:45 p.m.; 14, Fri., at Lawrence, 7:45 p.m.; 18, Tues., Wilmington, 6 p.m. Varsity coach, Charlie Micol; place, high school gym.

### Boys' junior varsity basketball

#### January

Fri., 3, Methuen, 3:15 p.m.; 7, Tues., at Haverhill, 4:30 p.m.; 9, Thurs., St. John's Prep, 6 p.m.; 14, Tues., Andover, 4:30 p.m.; 16, Fri., Lawrence, 4:30 p.m.; 21, Tues., at Lowell, 4:30 p.m.; 24, at Wilmington, 4:30 p.m.; 28, Tues., Chelmsford, 4:30 p.m.; Fri., 31, at Billerica, 4:30 p.m.

#### February

Four, Tues., Dracut, 3:15 p.m.; 4, Tues., Dracut, 3:15 p.m.; 7, Fri., at Methuen, 4:30 p.m.; 13, Thurs., at St. John's Prep, 6 p.m.; 14, Fri., at Lawrence, 3:30 p.m.; 18, Tues., Wilmington, 11:30 p.m.

Junior varsity coach, Bob Briggs; place, high school gym.

### Girls' varsity basketball

#### January

Third, Fri., Methuen, 6 p.m.; 7, Tues., at Haverhill, 6 p.m.; 14, Tues., Andover, 7:5 p.m.; 17, Fri., Lawrence, 6 p.m.; 21, Tues., at Lowell, 6 p.m.; 24, Fri., at Wilmington, 6 p.m.; 28, Tues., Chelmsford, 7:45 p.m.; Fri., 31, at Billerica, 6 p.m.

#### February

Fourth, Tues., at Dracut, 4:30 p.m.; 7, Fri., Methuen, 4:30 p.m.; 11, Tues., Havrhill, 6 p.m.; 14, Tues.,

Fri., Lawrence, 3:15 p.m.; Feb. 18, Tues., at Wilmington, 11:30 p.m.

Junior varsity coach, Leo DiRocco; place, high school gym.

### Boys' freshmen basketball

#### January

Third, Fri., Methuen, 4:30 p.m.; 7, Tues., at Haverhill, 3:15 p.m.; 10, Fri., Greater Lawrence, 3:15 p.m.; 14, Tues., Andover, 3:15 p.m.; 17, Fri., Lawrence, 3:15 p.m.; 21, Tues., at Lowell, 23, Thurs., at Tyngsboro, 4:30 p.m.; 24, Fri., at Wilmington, 3:15 p.m.; 28, Tues., Chelmsford, 3:15 p.m.; 31, Fri., at Billerica, 3:15 p.m.

#### February

Fourth, Tues., Dracut, 4:30 p.m.; 7, Fri., at Methuen, 14, Fri., at Lawrence, 3 p.m.; 18, Tues., Wilmington, 10 a.m.

Freshman coach, Dennis Holt; place, high school gym.

### Girls' freshmen basketball

#### January

Third, Fri., at Methuen, 7, Tues., Haverhill, 3:15 p.m.; 14, Tues., at Andover, 17, Fri., at Lawrence, 21, Tues., Lowell, 4:30 p.m.; 21, Tues., Lowell, 4:30 p.m.; 23, Thurs., at Tyngsboro, 3:15 p.m.; 24, Fri., at Chelmsford, 31, Fri., Billerica, 4:30 p.m.

#### February

Fourth, Tues., at Dracut, 7, Fri., Methuen, 3:15 p.m.; 11, Tues., at Haverhill, 3:15 p.m.; Fri., 14, Lawrence, 4:30 p.m.; 18, Tues., at Wilmington, 10 a.m. Freshmen coach, James Kastritis; place, high school gym.

### Wrestling

#### January

Second, Thurs., Wilmington, 6:30 p.m.; 4, Sat., at Greater Lowell (quad); 8, Wed., at Billerica, 6:30 p.m.; 8, Wed., at Billerica, 6:30 p.m.; 11, Sat., Commonwealth Cup at Wayland; 15, Wed., at Methuen, 6:30 p.m.; Sat., 18, at Woburn Tournament; 22, Wed., Lowell, 6:30 p.m.; 29, Wed., at Chelmsford 6:30 p.m.

### February

First, Sat., at Methuen Invitational; 5, Wed., Haverhill, 6:30 p.m.; 12, Wed., Lawrence, 6:30 p.m.; 21/22, Fri., Sat., at Sectionals; 28, Fri., at States.

Varsity coach Al Donovan; junior varsity coach, Brian Aylward; place, junior high school gym.

### Varsity ice hockey

#### January

Second, Thurs., at Chelmsford, 6:30 p.m.; 4, Sat., Methuen, 6 p.m.; 8, Wed., at Haverhill, 8 p.m.; 11, Sat., Haverhill, 6 p.m.; 15, Wed., Central, 6 p.m.; 18, Sat., Andover, 6 p.m.; 22, Wed., at Lowell, 6 p.m.; 25, Sat., at Wilmington, 4 p.m.; 29, Wed., Chelmsford, 6 p.m.

#### February

First, Sat., at Billerica, 7 p.m.; 5, Wed., Dracut, 6 p.m.; 8, Sat., at Methuen, 6 p.m.; 12, Wed., at Xaverian, 5:45 p.m.; 15, Sat., at Andover, 6:30 p.m.; 17, Mon., Wilmington, 6 p.m.; 19, Wed.,

Billerica, 6 p.m.; 20, Thurs., All Star Game at Cape Anne League. Varsity coach Don Ciampa; jv coach, Dan Mecrones; place Janas Rink.

### Indoor track

#### January

Second, Thurs., Lynnfield at Lowell, 3:30 p.m.; 9, Thurs., Wilmington at Lowell, 3:30 p.m.; 11, Sat., at State Coach's Meet Boys; 18, Sat., at State Coach's Meet Girls; 23, Thurs., Ipswich at Lowell, 3 p.m.; 25/26, Sat., Sun., Frosh/soph Meet M.I.T. at noon; 27, Mon., at Methuen, 3:30 p.m.; 29, Wed., at Phillips Academy.

#### February

First, Sat., at State Relay B.U.; 6, Thurs., at Lawrence at Lowell, 3:30 p.m.; 8/9, Sat., Sun., State Class Indoor Meets, Harvard, 1 p.m.; 16, Sun., at MIAA All State Indoor Meet, Harvard at noon.

Coach, Bill Piscione; assistant coach, Steve Levine.

## WHS athletes seek sponsors

**Sports editor's note:** The following is a letter from WHS athletic director Jim Gillis that addresses the need to raise funds for the school's athletic program.

Dear Friends:

This letter is an investment in your future. How? By supporting Athletic Programs - you will help provide your future employees with the following values:

Responsibility, dedication, attention to detail, commitment, positive work ethic, good attendance and much more.

The Athletic Department at Wilmington High school must raise

over \$40,000 to maintain its' athletic programs for student athletes. Realizing that "everyone" is asking for donations, but also realizing that so many of you in this community truly believe in the value of athletics for your young people, we are initiating a sponsorship program affording everyone and anyone the opportunity to sponsor an athletic event. I want to emphasize, anyone can sponsor or help sponsor, an event or activity.

Sponsorships would start at \$10-\$25 for sub-varsity contests, and \$50-\$500 for varsity contests.

**Sponsors (page 10)**



One final point

WHS varsity basketball coach Susan Rowe makes a point prior to her team's MVC opener against Andover last week. The Wildcats dropped their opening contest, 53-26.



One of the best

Tewksbury High School players try to ignore the Wilmington celebration after the Wildcats upset the Redmen Thanksgiving morning. This rates as one of the top stories of last year. Look for a review of the top schoolboy sports stories in next week's Sports Notebook.

## Winter sports coverage next week

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## Rec coming events

### Men's gym night

The Wilmington Recreation Department's Men's Gym Night will continue Wednesday night, January 8 from 7:30 to 9:15 at the North Intermediate Gym.

This popular program runs through March 11. Cost is \$35 for this 13 week program or pay \$4 a week at the door. This program is for Wilmington men and their friends who wish to practice basketball in an informal manner.

### Entertainment Greater Boston

The Recreation Department is offering another way to save money

and make your Christmas shopping a little easier.

Entertainment '92 and Greater Boston '92 are two great ways to save money when dining out, attending theatre and sports events. You can even save money on dry cleaning.

Stop by to look at these books of money saving coupons Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Recreation Office at town hall or call 658-4270 for more information.

### Play gym

The Wilmington Recreation

Department is again offering this popular program for children ages four through grade two called Play Gym.

The program will include tumbling, games, creative movement, songs and exploration of physical education equipment.

Cost is \$25. Register in the Rec Office between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday or call 658-4270 for more information.

### Karate and kindergarate

Registration is being held in the Recreation Office for two popular programs for children ages three through adult.

Kinderkarate introduces boys and girls age four to grade one to karate. Karate is our program for everyone from grade two through adult. This program helps develop coordination, character, integrity, self-discipline and respect for others.

Both classes meet on Saturday beginning January 18 and meet for six weeks. Cost is \$25 for each program. Register in the Recreation Office in town hall from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### Ladies fitness

The Wilmington Recreation Department is offering ladies fitness classes that will begin Monday, January 6, 1992.

This class will meet Mondays and Wednesdays from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. This is a low impact class. Advance registration is required. Sign-up at the Rec Office at town hall Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or call 658-4270.

### Discounts

Discounts are available for many Florida attractions, including Magic Kingdom, SeaWorld, Church Street Station, Wet n' Wild and Universal Studios. Stop by the Recreation Office Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to pick up these discounts.

### Movie discounts

The Wilmington Recreation Department has discount tickets for the Showcase Cinemas, good in Woburn, Lawrence and Revere. These tickets are good Monday through Thursday only. Also available are tickets to the General Cinema in Burlington. Call the Rec Office at 658-4270 for details or stop by the Rec Office at Town Hall.

### Teen modeling/finishing

Here's an idea for a good Christmas gift. The Wilmington Recreation Department is offering a new and popular activity for grades six to 12.

The program is called modeling and finishing. It is designed to improve one's appearance through proper dress, makeup, hair styling and manners. Students will practice and learn modeling techniques and partake in video taping sessions.

The Recreation Department, in conjunction with LaFemmina School of Modeling and Finishing in Wilmington, is offering this course for six weeks beginning in January.

The initial program would begin January 8 and run for six weeks on Wednesdays from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. for high schoolers and from 3:45 to 4:45 for intermediate students. Cost is \$20 for the six hour course.

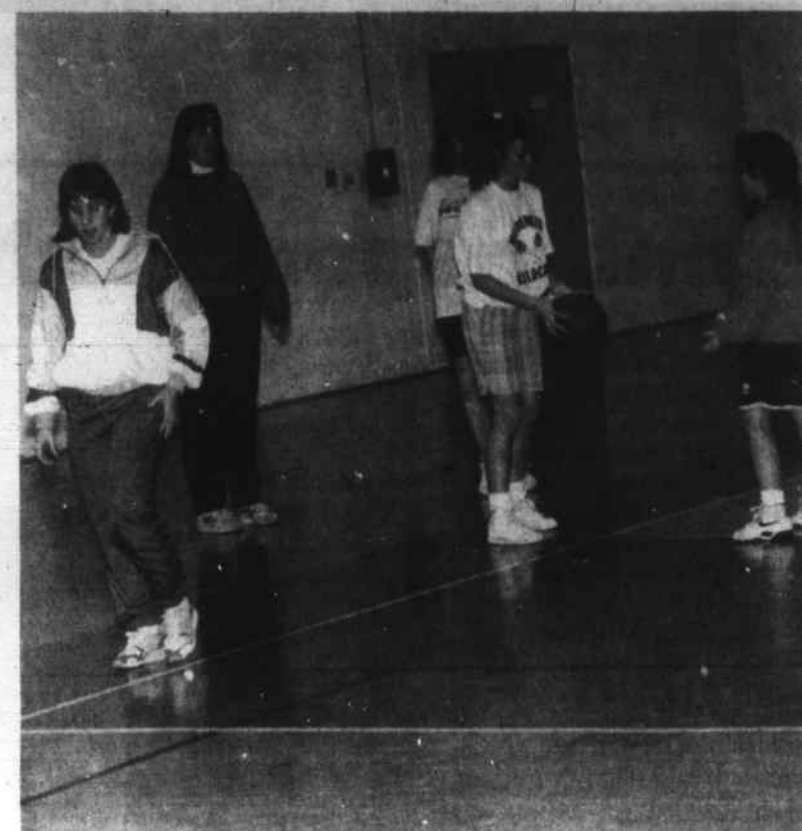
Both girls and boys are urged to take advantage of this program. Registration is on-going until the two classes are full. Call 658-4270 to register or for more information.

### Teen aerobics

This new program is an after school program for high school students, grades nine through 12

that will meet for eight weeks Mondays and Wednesdays beginning January 13.

There will be exercising to music while we warm up, stretch, dance and move to the beat. Call the Recreation Office Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to register, 658-4270.



Satisfied coach

Wilmington High School junior varsity basketball coach Sue Hendee (left) appears satisfied with her coaching instructions during a preseason practice last week.

## Basketball supervisor

The Recreation Department needs a supervisor for its junior basketball program. This junior division is for six and seven year old boys and girls.

The program runs on six Saturday afternoons beginning January 11. Candidates should know basketball principles and enjoy working with this age group. Call Ron Swasey, 658-4270.

## Winter Bay State Games

### Alpine skiing

**Bay State Games:** The Bay State Cup Giant Slalom, January 20, 1992 High School Racers, Jiminy Peak, Hancock, MA. For entry information call (617) 727-3227.

### Cross Country Skiing

**Bay State Games:** Cross Country Ski Festival: 5 and 10K races. 26 Divisions from age 10 and under to 50 and older. January 19, 1992, Mt. Greylock, Adams, MA. For entry information call (617) 727-3227.

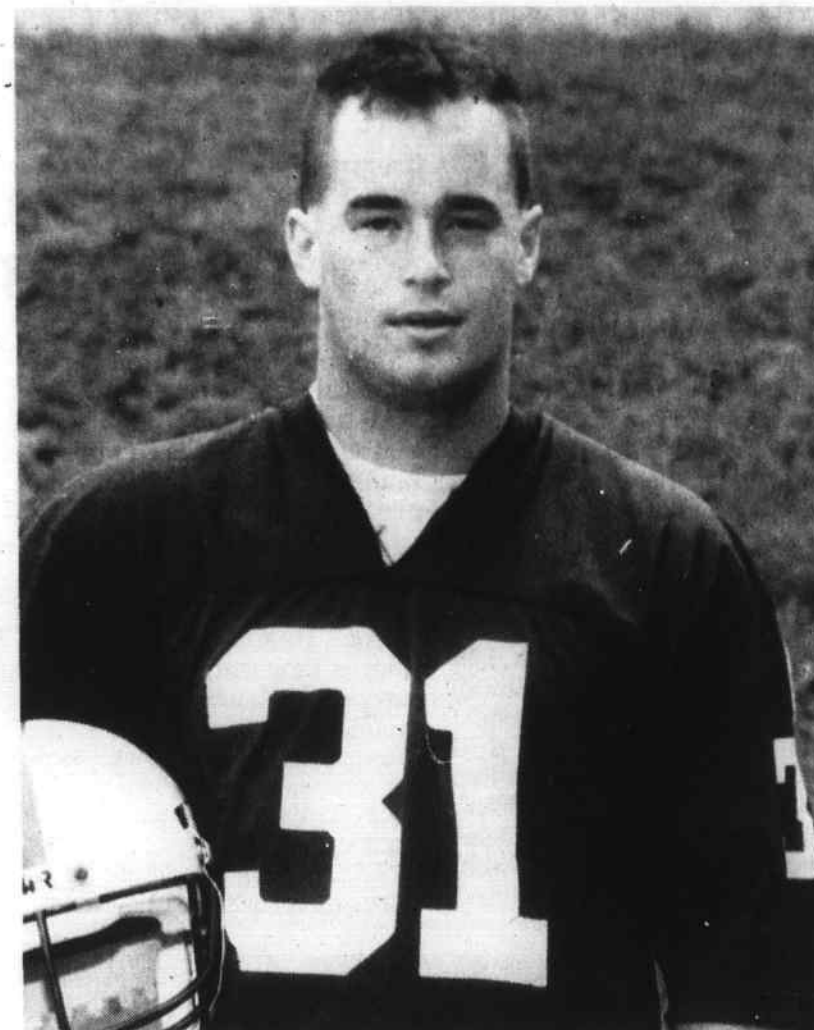
### Special event calendars Winter Sports Festival

**Bay State Games:** Figure skating, master ice hockey, figure skating show, Alpine skiing, cross country ski festival, athletes parade and torch lighting. January 17-20, Northern Berkshires. For information call (617) 727-3227.

### Figure skating show

**Bay State Skate:** Regional, national, international figure skating stars. January 18, 1992, 7:30 p.m. Williams College. For tickets call (617) 727-3227.

## Nally leads Westfield



Nally shines

Wilmington's Pat Nally was one of the leaders on this season's Westfield State College varsity football team.

Pat Nally, son of Bernard and Texann Nally of Wilmington, was a member of the Westfield State College football team that finished the 1991 season with a 4-6 record under second year coach Steve Marino.

Four of the Owls' losses were to teams ranked in the top 10 in New England Division III, including postseason playoff teams UMass-Lowell and Plymouth State. Pat is a senior criminal justice major at Westfield State.

### Sponsors (from page nine)

Individuals or businesses would have the opportunity to sponsor contests of the athletic teams of their choice.

Sponsorships will be recognized in the local media each week and events that have a public address system will announce before and during the contest the name of the individual or business sponsoring the event.

Wilmington High School offers 22 varsity level and 25 sub-varsity activities. We will have approximately 307 home events.

In closing, thank you for taking the time to read this request. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 694-6055.

Sincerely,  
James M. Gillis, Director  
Physical Education and Athletics

### Sponsor a contest Varsity

Football, \$500, co-sponsor \$250; hockey, \$250, co-sponsor \$125; basketball, \$200, co-sponsor, \$100; wrestling, \$100, co-sponsor \$50; gymnastics, \$100, co-sponsor, \$50; volleyball, \$100; boys soccer, \$50; girls soccer, \$50.

Field hockey, \$50, boys cross country, \$50, girls cross country, \$50, golf, \$50, boys winter track, \$50, girls winter track, \$50, baseball, \$50, girls tennis, \$50, boys tennis, \$50, boys track, \$50, softball, \$50.

### Sub-varsity

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# Outdoors column

by Bill Conlon  
Ugly. Ice fishing may be fun, and challenging, and productive when it comes to fish caught, but it surely is the Ugliest Sport. Perhaps Sumo Wrestling can compare, but only in climates warm enough to allow the wearing of diapers in public.

Ice fishing starts ugly. A parking lot full of road-salted pickups and the occasional battered Subaru. At Oh-dark-30 in the morning, there's no such thing as pretty, anyway.

The once rippled pond, full of fat ducks, is now a barren slab haunted by gulls and crows. The ice itself is either a flat gray or a dirty white.

You can't carry ice fishing gear by hand -- too attractive. The gear is instead loaded onto a toboggan or stuffed in a box and dragged out to the fishing spot. Pretty things ride, but ugly stuff gets dragged.

Before dawn, before the coffee is perking on a real day, you trudge onto the pond, your ears assaulted by the growl of a snowmobile -- or worse -- the braying of a gasoline-powered ice auger punching holes in the pond.

Even the sounds are ugly. But the holes are drilled and the tip-ups are depth-checked and little fish speared onto the hooks, and that's about all there is to do. The rest of what might otherwise be a lovely sunrise is spent standing and staring at sticks in the ice, hoping for an occasional up-right flag.

On a slow fishing day, nothing is quite so boring as ice fishing. You may turn on a radio, or scorch up some breakfast on the Coleman, but that's it. A good book will make a slow day tolerable, too.

When the fish are biting, though, it can be frantic.

On days with brilliant sunshine your entire face squints, making all and sundry look like Inuits. Not the best looking folks, genetically.

Some days, however, are ugly unto themselves.

If you look out the window at an awful snowstorm and say, "Thank God I don't have to go anywhere," you can bet there are dozens of ice anglers staring back at you from the lakes and ponds.

There is no such thing as weather too nasty for ice fishing. It simply doesn't happen. A tornado (rare in winter) may push a few of the limp-wrists toward shore, but the manly men will tough it out, regardless.

The ugliest possible day on the ice is warm and sticky. Yuck. Then a fog may form that obliterates all details. Gray ice blends with gray fog, creating an impenetrable wall of obscurity. It's called a White Out, and it is scary, if you become lost.

Your fishing site becomes a high

temple of ugliness as the day grinds on. There is no boat to contain your belongings, so they just spread out as time passes.

Beer cans are tossed and kicked, to be collected later, and coats and hats are discarded and left where they land. Most of the junk will be centered around the tackle sled but the rest, well, it just lays there.

There's the stove and empty egg cartons, the ice auger here and the skimming spoon there. Clutter.

Around the holes there are dead baitfish and dull brown weeds that were plucked off the hook. The seagulls may eat the dead baitfish, on a good day, which can provide excellent snowball sport. But good snowball snow and slow seagulls only happen on the best of days. A normal, ugly day will see brown spots on the ice, where you dumped your frozen cup of coffee, and a few yellow ones, because you were drinking coffee to begin with.

The less said about bathrooming in the middle of a featureless frozen lake, the better. Ahem.

People who engage in fishing on the ice, while terrific folks for the most part, are extraordinarily and unredeemably ugly. Fishermen are customarily unsightly -- part of the sport, you see -- but ice fishermen set the standards. Most ice anglers wear beards, with the excuse that it

keeps winter breezes off the chin, and not close-cropped pretty little beards, either. A true ice angler's hair-shirt is too long only when it interferes with zipping up his fly. Then he might trim it, maybe.

The clothes of ice fishing are not found in Gentlemen's Quarterly, but you should have expected that. There are no fashionable neon ski togs or trendy trenchcoats out here. Naw. Ice anglers prefer military surplus Arctic gear, with enormous pockets for things like pliers, extra hooks, brandy, and fish.

The best-dressed ice anglers may lean toward one-piece snowmobile suits, often in camouflage colors, but that's as pretty as it gets. Boots tend toward a rural Maine look, while hats run the gamut from old Navy watch caps to odd South American imports. My favorite is a U.S. Air Force B-9B flight helmet, with fake fur on the earflaps, that looks like a Chinese border guard hat. Ahh!

Gloves? Nyet! Mittens are much better. They're easier to get on and off quickly, for reaching down into the frigid water to nab a pike by the gills, but how many pairs of truly fashionable adult mittens have you seen? Discards off an Ipswich lobster boat would blend right in.

And guess what happens to an ice angler who wears 50 pounds worth of clothes, spends the day dragging

a box of fishing gear around, and sucking down brandy -- why, of course! He sweats! Ice anglers are known for *smelling* ugly by the end of the day. No senses are safe. And they swear, too.

But ugliness is really one of the charms of ice fishing. Where else would you find hundreds of decent people, wearing horrible clothes, in the middle of a frozen lake, before dawn, in God-awful weather? Only those who enjoy winter to the utmost are called to ice fish.

What a great sport!

## --- Tackle Box ---

While ice fishing time is coming up fast, the ice is NOT safe. Repeat: the ice is NOT safe yet. Stay off the pond until we get a few more weeks of cold weather. Don't risk it.

A special thanks to Tom G for his call to the office last week, about an oopsie I had. Tom rightly took me to task over my statement that the Quabbin reservation had 65 deer per acre. That would be crowded, wouldn't it? The correct number was 50 to 65 deer *per square mile*, not per acre. My apologies.

Deer stories, anyone? Call me at 658-2346.

## Youth hockey

## Bantams breeze

Wilmington's Bantam Youth Hockey squad scored two impressive victories in recent action, blasting Pentucket 1, 8-2 and topping Agawam, 3-1.

Matt Callandrello scored two goals in the Pentucket rout along with John Lynch. Charlie Ross, Mike Giordano, Chris White and Mike Barry had single Wilmington goals.

Assists went to Jamie Caples (two), Giordano (two), Callandrello (two), Lynch (three), Barry, Ross, Gene Reynolds and Bob Kelly. Jeff Morin played a solid game in goal for the winners.

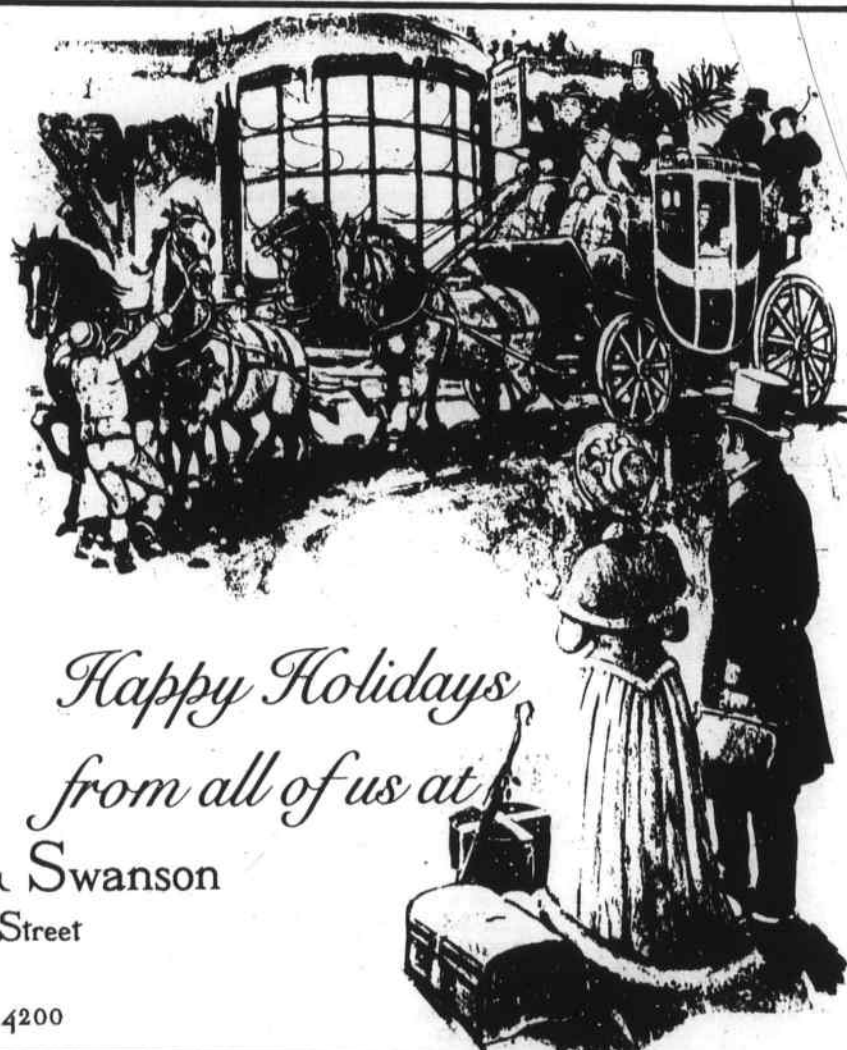
Chris Splaine, Jamie Caples and Mike Giordano notched the goals in the Agawam win, with assists to Ryan Swasey and Mike Barry.

The Mite A's turned back Peabody, 4-1 behind the rock-solid play of goalie David Silva who turned away 16 shots on net. Dan Torpey, Andy Campbell and Mike Corcoran sparked the Wilmington offense.

Torpey scored three goals and Silva was superb again with 25 saves in a 4-2 win over Andover. Kristen Thomas also scored a Wilmington goal.



**Bantams buzz** Wilmington Mite A standouts Kristen Thomas (left) and Matt Gillis get set to buzz the net in recent youth hockey action.



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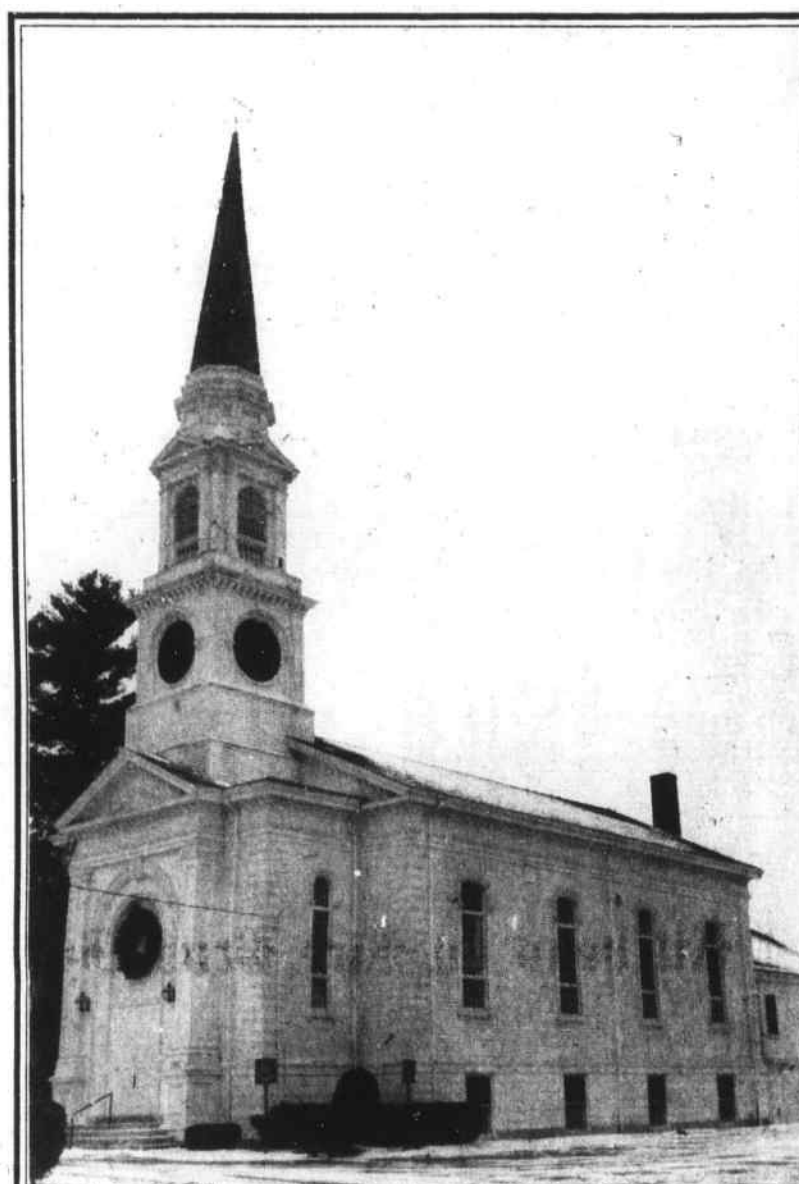
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## Where the action is

**Boys' basketball**  
**Friday, January 3**  
 Central at Lowell 7:30; Haverhill at Chelmsford 7:30; Billerica at Andover, 6:00; Wilmington at Lawrence; Methuen at Tewksbury; Dracut, bye.

**Tuesday, January 7**  
 Wilmington at Lowell; Lawrence at Billerica; Methuen at Central 7:30; Tewksbury at Haverhill; Dracut at Andover; Chelmsford bye.

**Friday, January 10**  
 Lowell at Billerica; Andover at Chelmsford; Central at Haverhill 7:30; Dracut at Lawrence; Wilmington at Methuen; Tewksbury bye.

**Tuesday, January 14**  
 Lowell at Dracut; Chelmsford at Wilmington; Central at Lawrence 7:30; Haverhill at Methuen 6:00; Andover at Tewksbury, 6:00; Billerica bye.

**Friday, January 17**  
 Andover at Lowell; Chelmsford at Central 7:30; Billerica at Haverhill; Lawrence at Tewksbury; Dracut at Wilmington; Methuen bye.

**Tuesday, January 21**  
 Tewksbury at Lowell; Dracut at Chelmsford; Wilmington at Billerica; Lawrence at Haverhill, 7:30; Methuen at Andover 6:00; Central bye.

**Friday, January 24**  
 Lowell at Methuen; Chelmsford at Tewksbury 6:00; Billerica at Dracut; Central at Wilmington 7:30; Andover at Lawrence; Haverhill bye.

**Friday, January 31**  
 Lawrence at Lowell; Methuen at Chelmsford; Tewksbury at Billerica; Dracut at Central 7:30; Wilmington at Haverhill, 6:00; Andover bye.

**Tuesday, February 4**  
 Chelmsford at Lowell; Central at Billerica 7:30; Andover at Haverhill 7:30; Methuen at Lawrence; Dracut at Tewksbury; Wilmington bye.

**Friday, February 7**  
 Lowell at Central 7:30; Chelmsford at Haverhill 7:30; Andover at Billerica; Lawrence at Wilmington; Tewksbury at Methuen, 6; Dracut bye.

**Tuesday, February 11**  
 Billerica at Lowell; Chelmsford at Andover, 6:00; Haverhill at Central 7:30; Lawrence at Dracut; Methuen at Wilmington; Tewksbury bye.

**Friday, February 14**  
 Lowell at Andover; Central at Chelmsford 7:30; Haverhill at Billerica; Tewksbury at Lawrence; Wilmington at Dracut; Methuen bye.

**2/16 Andover at Central, 3 p.m.**

**Tuesday, February 18**  
 Haverhill at Lowell, 7:30; Billerica at Chelmsford; Dracut at Methuen 7:30; Wilmington at Tewksbury 6:00; Lawrence bye.

**Game times: Freshmen 3:15 p.m.; junior varsity 4:30 p.m. varsity 7:45 p.m. unless otherwise noted.**

**Girls' basketball**  
**Friday, January 3**  
 Chelmsford at Haverhill 7:30;

Billerica at Andover 7:45; Wilmington at Lawrence; Methuen at Tewksbury; Lowell bye.

**Tuesday, January 7**  
 Wilmington at Lowell; Lawrence at Billerica; Tewksbury at Haverhill; Dracut at Andover; Methuen bye; Chelmsford bye.

**Friday, January 10**  
 Lowell at Billerica; Andover at Chelmsford; Dracut at Lawrence; Wilmington at Methuen; Haverhill bye; Tewksbury bye.

**Tuesday, January 14**  
 Lowell at Dracut; Chelmsford at Wilmington; Haverhill at Methuen 7:45; Andover at Tewksbury 7:45; Lawrence bye; Billerica bye.

**Friday, January 17**  
 Andover at Lowell; Billerica at Haverhill; Lawrence at Tewksbury; Dracut at Wilmington; Chelmsford bye; Methuen bye.

**Tuesday, January 21**  
 Tewksbury at Lowell; Dracut at Chelmsford; Wilmington at Billerica; Methuen at Andover 7:45.

**1/20 Lawrence at Haverhill 7:30.**

**Friday, January 24**  
 Haverhill at Lowell 7:30; Chelmsford at Billerica; Methuen at Dracut; Tewksbury at Wilmington; Andover bye; Lawrence bye.

**Tuesday, January 28**  
 Lowell at Methuen; Chelmsford at Tewksbury 7:45; Billerica at Dracut; Andover at Lawrence; Wilmington bye; Haverhill bye.

**Friday, January 31**  
 Lawrence at Lowell; Methuen at Chelmsford; Tewksbury at Billerica; Wilmington at Haverhill 7:45; Dracut bye; Andover bye.

**Tuesday, February 4**  
 Chelmsford at Lowell; Haverhill at Andover 7:30; Methuen at Lawrence; Dracut at Tewksbury; Billerica at Wilmington 7:30.

**Friday, February 7**  
 Haverhill at Chelmsford 7:30; Andover at Billerica; Lawrence at Wilmington; Tewksbury at Methuen 7:45; Lowell bye; Dracut bye.

**Tuesday, February 11**  
 Billerica at Lowell; Chelmsford at Andover 7:45; Lawrence at Dracut; Methuen at Wilmington; Haverhill at Tewksbury 7:30.

**Friday, February 14**  
 Lowell at Andover; Haverhill at Billerica; Tewksbury at Lawrence; Wilmington at Dracut; Chelmsford bye; Methuen bye.

**Monday December 30 Lowell at Wilmington, 1:45 freshmen; 3:15 junior varsity; 4:30 varsity.**

**Tuesday, February 18**  
 Lowell at Haverhill 7:30; Billerica at Chelmsford 7:45; Wilmington at Tewksbury; 2/19 Lawrence at Andover 7:30.

**Game times: Freshmen 3:15 p.m.; Junior Varsity 4:30; varsity 6. Unless otherwise noted.**

**Boys' ice hockey**  
**Saturday, January 4**  
 Chelmsford at Haverhill; Billerica at Central; Wilmington at Andover; Methuen at Tewksbury; Lowell bye; Dracut bye.

**Wednesday, January 8**  
 Wilmington at Lowell; Andover at Billerica; Tewksbury at Haverhill; Dracut at Central; Methuen bye; Chelmsford bye.

**Saturday, January 11**  
 Lowell at Billerica; Central at Chelmsford; Dracut at Andover; Methuen at Wilmington 4:00; Haverhill bye; Tewksbury bye.

**Wednesday, January 15**  
 Lowell at Dracut; Chelmsford at Wilmington 8:00; Haverhill at Methuen; Central at Tewksbury; Andover bye; Billerica bye.

**Saturday, January 18**  
 Central at Lowell; Billerica at Haverhill; Andover at Tewksbury; Dracut at Wilmington 4:00; Chelmsford bye; Methuen bye.

**Wednesday, January 22**  
 Tewksbury at Lowell; Dracut at Chelmsford; Wilmington at Billerica; Andover at Haverhill; Methuen at Central.

**Saturday, January 25**  
 Haverhill at Lowell; Chelmsford at Billerica; Methuen at Dracut; Tewksbury at Wilmington 4:00; Central bye; Andover bye.

**Wednesday, January 29**  
 Lowell at Methuen; Chelmsford at Tewksbury; Billerica at Dracut; Central at Andover; Haverhill at Wilmington 8:00.

**Saturday, February 1**  
 Andover at Lowell; Methuen at Chelmsford; Tewksbury at Billerica; Wilmington at Haverhill; Dracut bye; Central bye.

**Wednesday, February 5**  
 Chelmsford at Lowell; Central at Haverhill; Methuen at Andover; Dracut at Tewksbury; Wilmington bye; Billerica bye.

**Saturday, February 8**  
 Haverhill at Chelmsford; Central at Billerica; Andover at Wilmington 4:00; Tewksbury at Methuen 6:00; Lowell bye; Dracut bye.

**Wednesday, February 12**  
 Billerica at Lowell; Chelmsford at Central; Andover at Dracut; Wilmington at Methuen; Haverhill bye; Tewksbury bye.

**Saturday, February 15**  
 Lowell at Central; Haverhill at Billerica; Tewksbury at Andover 6:30; Wilmington at Dracut; Chelmsford bye; Methuen bye.

**Monday, February 17**  
 Lowell at Haverhill; Billerica at Chelmsford; Dracut at Methuen; Wilmington at Central; Central bye; Andover bye.

**Thursday, February 20, all star game.**

**Boys' wrestling**  
**Wednesday, December 18**  
 December 27-28  
 Lowell Holiday  
**Thursday, January 2**  
 Wilmington at Tewksbury  
**Saturday, January 4**  
 Methuen, Dracut, Greater Lowell, TBA.

**Wednesday, January 8**  
 Tewksbury at Billerica, 6:30; Lawrence at Wilmington 6:30; Lawrence at Chelmsford 6:30; Lowell at Dracut, 6:30.

**Thursday, January 9**  
 Methuen at Central 6:30.

**Saturday, January 11**  
 Commonwealth Cup at Wayland.

**Wednesday, January 15**  
 Dracut at Chelmsford, 6:30; Tewksbury at Methuen, 6:30; Central at Wilmington, 6:30.

**Friday, January 17**  
 Wilmington at Lowell.

**Saturday, January 18**  
 Lawrence, Haverhill, Central at Billerica, 12:00

**Wednesday, January 22**  
 Methuen at Billerica; Lowell at Tewksbury 6:30; Lawrence at Chelmsford, 6:30; Wilmington at Dracut, 6:30.

**Saturday, January 25**  
 Wilmington at Billerica; Dracut at Lawrence; Haverhill, Saugus, Whittier, at Methuen; Lowell at Lawrence.

**Wednesday, January 29**  
 Tewksbury at Chelmsford 6:30; Billerica at Dracut 6:30; Methuen at Wilmington 6:30.

**Saturday, February 1**  
 Chelmsford, Salem, N.H., Merrimack at Billerica.

**Wednesday, February 5**  
 Billerica at Lowell; Haverhill at Tewksbury.

**Thursday, February 6**  
 Chelmsford at Central.

**Saturday, February 8**  
 Lowell at Chelmsford.

**Tuesday, February 11**  
 Haverhill at Wilmington, 6:30.

**Wednesday, February 12**  
 Lowell at Methuen; Wilmington at Chelmsford; Lawrence at Tewksbury.

**Saturday, February 15**  
 Chelmsford at Methuen.

**Tuesday, February 18**  
 Lawrence at Methuen, 6:30.

**Girls' gymnastics**  
**January:**  
**Thursday, 2, Wilmington at Chelmsford, 7; Lowell at North Andover, 4:30; Monday, 6, Chelmsford at Lowell, Tues., 7, Dracut at Billerica; 8, Wed., Wilmington at Lowell, 7; Fri., 10, Chelmsford at Billerica, 7; Dracut at Andover, 4; No. Andover at Wilmington, 7; Mon., 13, Andover at Chelmsford; Methuen at Dracut, 7 p.m.; Tues., 14, No. Andover at Billerica; Thurs., 16, Dracut at No. Andover, 4:30; Fri., 17, Billerica at Methuen; Lowell at Andover, 4:00; Tues., 21, Billerica at Wilmington 7; Wed., 22, Methuen at Lowell; Thurs., 23, Chelmsford at Dracut; Fri., 24, Wilmington at Andover; No. Andover at Methuen; Mon., 27, Lowell at Dracut; Methuen at Chelmsford; Tues., 28, Billerica at Andover, 4:00; Thurs., 30, Wilmington at Dracut, 7; Fri., 31, Andover at Methuen, 4:00.**

**February**  
**Mon., 3, Billerica at Lowell, 7:00, Andover at No. Andover, 4:30; Methuen at Wilmington, 7:00; Sat., Feb. 8, League meet, Wilmington, 6.**

**Boys' track**  
**Methuen**

**Monday, December 30**  
 Methuen vs Lawrence; Ipswich vs Haverhill; Andover vs No. Andover; Central vs No. Reading.

**Monday, January 6**  
 Methuen vs Haverhill; Masconomet vs No. Reading; Central vs No. Reading.

**Monday, January 13**  
 Lawrence vs Haverhill; Methuen vs Lynnfield; Chelmsford vs Andover; Central vs Masconomet.

**Monday, January 20**  
 Wilmington vs Methuen; Chelmsford vs No. Andover; Andover vs No. Reading; Lawrence vs Billerica.

**Lowell**  
**Thursday, December 26**  
 No. Reading vs Chelmsford; No. Andover vs Lowell; Masconomet vs Billerica.

**Thursday, January 2**  
 Lynnfield vs Tewksbury; Masconomet vs Chelmsford; Billerica vs Lowell.

**Thursday, January 9**  
 Wilmington vs Tewksbury; Lynnfield vs Ipswich; Billerica vs Andover; Lowell vs Chelmsford.

**Thursday, January 16**  
 Wilmington vs Ipswich; Billerica vs No. Andover; Lowell vs No. Reading.

**Thursday, January 23**  
 Tewksbury vs Ipswich; Lawrence vs Lynnfield; Lowell vs Haverhill; Central vs Masconomet.

**Monday, January 27**  
 Haverhill vs Lynnfield; Tewksbury vs Methuen; Andover vs Masconomet.

**Monday, February 3**  
 Methuen vs Ipswich; No. Andover vs Masconomet; Andover vs Lowell; Central vs Chelmsford.

**Thursday, January 30**  
 Lawrence vs Wilmington; Chelmsford vs Billerica; No. Andover vs No. Reading; Central vs Lowell.

**Thursday, February 6**  
 Haverhill vs Wilmington; Tewksbury vs Lawrence; No. Reading vs Billerica.

**Girls' track**  
**Methuen**


**Monday, December 30**  
 Methuen vs Lawrence; Ipswich vs Haverhill; Andover vs No. Andover.

**Monday, January 6**  
 Methuen vs Haverhill; Masconomet vs No. Reading.

**Monday, January 13**  
 Lawrence vs Haverhill; Methuen vs Lynnfield; Chelmsford vs Andover.

**Monday, January 20**  
 Wilmington vs Methuen; Chelmsford vs No. Andover; Andover vs No. Reading; Lawrence vs Billerica.

**Lowell**  
**Thursday, December 26**  
 No. Reading vs Chelmsford; No. Andover vs Lowell; Masconomet vs Billerica.



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## obituary

### Hazel I. Huggan

Hazel I. (Mahoney) Huggan, 86, a former resident of the Carnation Drive elderly housing complex, died Wednesday, December 18, 1991 at a Lowell Hospital. She was a resident at Blaire House of Tewksbury.

She was born in St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, November 10, 1905, the daughter of the late William J. and Georgiana (Garvin) Mahoney, and was the widow of Emerson W. Huggan.

She emigrated to the U.S. at the age of 17 and lived in the Lynn area most of her life. She was a resident of Tewksbury since 1979.

Prior to retirement, she was self-employed in the childcare business.

Active in Tewksbury, she was a member of the Golden Age Club,

the Sunshine Club of Carnation Drive, and L.I.F.E. at Blaire House. She was a communicant of St. William's Church and a member of St. William's Sodality.

She is survived by her daughter Mrs. Albert (Carol A.) Bucknam of Tewksbury; four sons and daughters-in-law, Frederick E. and Rita E. (Rawley) Huggan of Dedham, John W. and Joanne B. (Koenig) Huggan of St. Paul, Minn., Robert P. and Carol A. (Venis) Huggan of Groveland, and Gerald F. and Lynne (Ellis) Huggan of Methuen. Fifteen grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren also survive.

She was also the mother of the late Donald A. Huggan and sister of the late Grace Haley, Frederick Mahoney and John Mahoney. A

funeral mass was held Saturday December 21 in St. William's Church. Burial followed in Forest Hills Cemetery. Memorials to the Leukemia Society of America, 31 St. James Ave., Boston, MA 02116 will be appreciated. Arrangements through the Tewksbury Funeral Home.

## Letters to the editor

The Town Crier welcomes letters to the editor. To be published letters must be signed. Names may be withheld if requested. Mail to: Town Crier, P.O. Box 460, Wilmington, MA 01887

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## obituaries

### Isabelle M. Carpenter

Mrs. Isabelle M. (Mackay) Carpenter of Lithia, Fla., formerly of Wilmington, died unexpectedly at her home on Thurs., Dec. 19, 1991. She was 66.

Prior to retirement she was an electronic assembler for many years.

Mrs. Carpenter was the widow of the late Charles R. Carpenter, and is survived by her sons and daughters-in-law, Charles D. and Janet Carpenter of Merrimack, N.H. and Lee E. and Suzanne Carpenter of Farmington, N.H.; her sister Janet Sheridan of Ft. Meyers, Fla., and her two grandchildren Mathew Carpenter of Merrimack, N.H. and Tami Carpenter of Farmington, N.H.

Funeral services for Mrs. Carpenter were held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home Monday afternoon. Interment followed in the family lot Wildwood Cemetery.

### Shawn F. Carroll

Shawn F. Carroll, 22, of North Charleston, S.C., formerly of Wilmington, died on December 18, 1991 at his residence.

Mr. Carroll was born in Winchester the son of the late John F. Carroll and Kathleen (Bickford) Carroll of Wilmington. He was a lifelong resident of Wilmington having graduated from Wilmington High School with the Class of 1988. At the time of his death, Mr. Carroll was a hull technician in the U.S. Navy.

In addition to his mother Mr. Carroll is survived by his beloved wife Jean (Nocella), his maternal grandmother, Mary Bickford of Billerica; his brothers and sisters, Gene Carroll, William Carroll, Tina Williamson, Cindy Case, all of Wilmington, Charles of Somerville, Richard of Florida and Mark of Chelsea. He is also survived by five nephews and a niece.

His funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home Monday morning followed by a funeral mass at St. Thomas Church. Interment took place in Fox Hill Cemetery.

Memorials in his name may be made to the American Cancer Society, 853 Main St., Suite 205, Tewksbury, MA 01876.

### Rosetta Canada

Rosetta Canada, who for many years lived in Wilmington near the Woburn line, died December 17, 1991 at the age of 97. Born in Cambridge, she was active in the St. John's Baptist Church of Woburn.

She was the last of her immediate family. She is survived by many nieces and nephews and grand nieces and grand nephews.

The funeral was from St. John's Baptist Church on Friday. Interment followed in Wildwood Cemetery on Saturday morning.

Funeral arrangements were by C.W. Jones of Everett.

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### MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed and Security Agreement given by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, to John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, which Mortgage is dated October 12, 1989, and recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 5037, Page 318, of which Mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, there shall be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 a.m. on the 23rd day of January, 1992, on the mortgaged premises located at 553 Main Street, a/k/a Tewksbury Square Shopping Center, Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, all and singular, the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

"A certain parcel of land, together with the buildings and other improvements situated thereon, located on the Southwesterly side Main Street, Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot "A" on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Tewksbury, Mass.," dated December 7, 1981, last revised March 2, 1982, prepared by G H R Engineering Corporation, recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 136, Plan 90 (the "Plan"). Said Lot "A" is more particularly bounded and described, according to the Plan, as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner thereof at a point on the Southwesterly side of said Main Street and at land now or formerly of Paul A. Daigle and Cecile Daigle, thence running

S 44° 56' 27" W in part by said land now or formerly of Paul A. Daigle and Cecile Daigle, in part by land now or formerly of Roger B. Oliver and in part by land now or formerly of Grace P. Marion, 538.24 feet to a point at land of an unnamed owner; thence turning and running

N 71° 19' 33" W by said land of an unnamed owner, 211.57 feet to a point; thence turning and running

N 00° 59' 21" W still by said land of an unnamed owner, 129.79 feet to a point; thence turning and running

N 70° 23' 53" W still by said land of an unnamed owner, 310.00 feet to a point; thence turning and running

S 15° 38' 21" W still by said land of an unnamed owner, 20.00 feet to a point; thence turning and running

N 74° 21' 39" W still by said land of an unnamed owner, 82.85 feet to a point; thence turning and running

S 15° 38' 21" W still by said land of an unnamed owner, 80.00 feet to a point at land now or formerly of Marilyn Skowronski; thence turning and running

N 74° 21' 39" W in part by said land now or formerly of Marilyn Skowronski, in part by land now or formerly of William F. Sharkey and Kathleen Sharkey, in part by land now or formerly of David J. Hannula and Evelyn J. Hannula, in part by land now or formerly of Dennis G. Francis and Anna M. Francis, and in part by land now or formerly of Walter S. Maciel, 595.76 feet to a point at Lot "B"; thence turning and running

N 05° 54' 58" E by said Lot "B", 222.53 feet to a point at land now or formerly of James D. McClean and Patricia McClean; thence turning and running

S 89° 25' 59" E in part by said land now or formerly of James D. McClean and Patricia McClean, in part by land now or formerly of Robert W. Brooks, in part by land now or formerly of Robert W. Morris and Mary Ann Morris, in part by land now or formerly of David K. Halen and Claire J. Halen, in part by land now or formerly of Dianna Tzouvelas and Epaminond Tzouvelas, and in part by land now or formerly of James R. Woolard and Beverly J. Woolard, 529.47 feet to a drill hole; thence turning and running

N 71° 01' 09" E in part by said land now or formerly of James R. Woolard and Beverly J. Woolard, in part by land now or formerly of Harold W. Mills and Helen H. Mills, and in part by land now or formerly of Edward F. Santos et al., 441.81 feet to a point on said Main Street, 0.23 feet from a concrete bound; thence turning and running

S 62° 27' 00" E by said Main Street, 346.82 feet to a point of curvature; thence turning and running

SOUTHEASTERLY still by said Main Street, on a curve to the right having a radius of 1038.41 feet, a distance of 270.36 feet to a point; thence turning and running

S 47° 37' 00" E still by said Main Street, 77.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Said Lot "A" contains, according to the Plan, 13.74 acres of land. There is appurtenant to said Lot "A" the rights and easements set forth in a certain Grant of Easements from Phillippe J. Cormier and Claudette M. Cormier, Trustees of Navillus Road Realty Trust, under a Declaration of Trust dated April 7, 1986, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3419, Page 256, to Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., dated October 13, 1988, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 339. There is further appurtenant to said Lot "A" the right to the use of all drainage easements shown on the Plan, in common with all others lawfully entitled thereto.

There is further appurtenant to said Lot "A" the rights and easements set forth in a certain Grant of Easements from Charles N. Parisi and Charles J. Salvo to Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., dated as of October 13, 1988, recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 344, and filed with the Northern Registry District of Middlesex County as Document No. 125,311, noted on Certificate of Title No. 16680 in Registration Book 86, Page 159.

There is further appurtenant to said Lot "A", and said Lot "A" is subject to the terms and provisions of a Notice of Variance - Conditional or Limited Variance or Special Permit granted by the Tewksbury Planning Board on October 12, 1988 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4647, Page 140.

Said Lot "A" is subject to the following rights and encumbrances:

1. An easement for drainage purposes at the Northeast corner of the premises adjacent to Main Street, as shown on the Plan, established by a Taking by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Public Works, dated September 7, 1938, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 919, Page 487.

2. An easement for electric and telephone lines and poles, and all appurtenances thereto, in a 100 foot wide portion of the premises shown as "Massachusetts Electric (100' Wide) Company Easement" on the Plan, and a right of access over land adjacent thereto, established by a grant from Edward J. Sullivan and Catherine L. Sullivan to The Lowell Electric Light Corporation dated March 3, 1949, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 1113, Page 341, the location thereof being shown on a plan recorded with said Deeds in Plan Book 73, Plan 59-B, as affected by:

a) a release from New England Power Company, holder of the rights granted to The Lowell Electric Light Corporation, dated June 4, 1982, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 2553, Page 428; and

b) an Agreement by and among New England Power Company, John V. Sullivan, Trustee of J.V. Realty Trust, under a Declaration of Trust dated January 29, 1971, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 1948, Page 283, and Purity Supreme, Inc., dated November 1, 1982, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 2567, Page 622.

3. An easement for underground gas lines and appurtenances thereto in a thirty foot wide strip which crosses the Southwesterly corner of the premises shown as "30' Wide Tennessee Co. Gas Easement" on the Plan, as set forth in a Taking by Northeastern Gas Transmission Company dated July 24, 1951, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 1174, Page 1, confirmed by a grant from Edward J. Sullivan and Catherine L. Sullivan to Northeastern Gas Transmission Company dated December 14, 1953, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 1244, Page 121, all as affected by an Agreement Regarding Easements among Tennessee Co. Gas Pipeline, a division of Tenneco, Inc., Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., and John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, which Agreement is dated April 9, 1982, and is recorded with said Deeds in Book 2537, Page 380.

4. Rights of others lawfully entitled to the use and enjoyment of three drain easements ("the Drainage Easements"), shown on the Plan as a) the 30' Wide Drainage Easement "D" along the Southeasterly property line, and b) Drainage Easement "B" in the Southerly corner of the premises, and c) the 20' Wide Drainage Easement along the Southwesterly property line.

5. Rights of Supermarkets General Corporation (successor by merger to Purity Supreme, Inc.) under a Lease (the "Store Lease") between Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., and John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, as Landlords, and Purity Supreme, Inc., as Tenant, dated December 3, 1981, with respect to which a Notice of Lease dated December 3, 1981, is recorded with said Deeds in Book 2537, Page 394, as affected by:

a) a First Amendment of Lease (Store Lease) dated May 4, 1982, by and between Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. and John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, as Landlords, and Purity Supreme, Inc., as Tenant;

b) an Assignment of Tenant's Interest in Leases from Purity Supreme, Inc. to Leo Kahn, Trustee of K F Realty Trust, under a Declaration of Trust dated January 3, 1980, and recorded with the Suffolk Registry of Deeds in Book 9353, Page 21, as amended, which Assignment was dated February 24, 1983, and recorded with said Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2635, Page 523, which Assignment was confirmed by a Confirmatory Assignment of Tenant's Interest in Leases dated as of February 24, 1983, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 302;

c) a Second Amendment of Lease (Store Lease) between Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., and John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, as Landlords, and Leo Kahn and Alan P. Bresnick, Trustees of K F Realty Trust as aforesaid, as Tenant (Alan P. Bresnick having become a Trustee by appointment duly recorded with Suffolk Registry of Deeds in Book 10453, Page 279), with respect to which a Notice of Second Amendment of Lease (Store Lease) dated March 4, 1987, was recorded with said Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 4050, Page 25, which Notice of Second Amendment of Lease (Store Lease) was amended by an Amendment to Notice of Second Amendment of Lease (Store Lease) between Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. and Supermarkets General Corporation dated as of March 4, 1987, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 328;

d) an assignment of Landlord's interest in the Store Lease from John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, to Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. by an Assignment of Lease dated as of March 16, 1987, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4050, Page 46, as confirmed by a Confirmatory Assignment of Lease from John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, to Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. dated as of March 16, 1987, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 318;

e) an assignment as of May 8, 1987, of the Tenant's interest in the Store Lease to the Purity Supreme Division of Supermarkets General Corporation by Leo Kahn and Alan P. Bresnick, Trustees of The K F Realty Trust as aforesaid, as evidenced by a Notice of Assignment of Store Lease dated May 7, 1987, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4050, Page 38, as confirmed by a Confirmatory Notice of Assignment of Store Lease dated as of May 7, 1987, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 314;

f) a Third Amendment to Lease (Store Lease) dated May 8, 1987, by and between Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. and John V. Sullivan, Trustee as aforesaid, as Landlords, and the Purity Supreme Division of Supermarkets General Corporation (successor by merger to Purity Supreme, Inc.), as Tenant;

g) an Amendment and Waiver of Right of First Refusal Agreement between Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. and Supermarkets General Corporation dated as of October 13, 1988, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 336;

h) an assignment of Landlord's interest in the Store Lease from Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. to Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation by an Assignment and Assumption of Lease Agreement dated October 13, 1988, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4721, Page 9;

i) a Letter Form Amendment Agreement contained in a letter from counsel for Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation to counsel for Supermarkets General Corporation dated August 21, 1989; and

j) a Fifth Amendment of Store Lease by and between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and Supermarkets General Corporation, as Tenant, dated as of October 11, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

k) a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and Supermarkets General Corporation, as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

6. Terms and provisions of an Amended Order of Conditions issued by the Tewksbury Conservation Commission pursuant to the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. c.131, (DEQE File No. 305-338), dated October 19, 1988, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 347.

7. The obligations of the owner of said Lot "A" relating to the exercise of the utility and drainage rights appurtenant to said Lot "A" established in, under, over, and through land situated between said Lot "A" and Navillus Road, as shown on the As-Built Plan, by a certain Grant of Easements from Phillippe J. Cormier and Claudette M. Cormier, Trustees of Navillus Road Realty Trust, under a Declaration of Trust dated April 7, 1986, and recorded in Book 3419, Page 256, to Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., dated October 13, 1988, and recorded in Book 4720, Page 339.

8. The obligations of the owner of said Lot "A" relating to the exercise of the sewer rights in Capital Avenue appurtenant to said Lot "A", established by a certain Grant of Easements from Charles N. Parisi and Charles J. Salvo to Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc., dated as of October 13, 1988, and recorded in Book 4720, Page 344, and filed with the North Registry District of Middlesex County as Document No. 125,311 noted on Certificate of Title No. 16680 in Registration Book 86, Page 159.

9. Rights of American Video, Inc., (d/b/a American Video) as tenant only, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and American Video, Inc. as Tenant, dated May 18, 1989, for a term of five (5) years commencing August 11, 1989 and ending on August 10, 1994, with an option to extend for one (1) additional term of five (5) years, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and American Video, Inc. as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

10. Rights of Commercial Credit Corporation (d/b/a Commercial Credit) as tenant only, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and Commercial Credit Corporation as Tenant, dated May 12, 1989, for a term of ten (10) years commencing July 1, 1989 and ending on June 30, 1999 without any option to extend for any additional term, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and Commercial Credit Corporation as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

11. Rights of DAR, Inc. (d/b/a Freedom Drug) as tenant only, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and DAR, Inc. as Tenant, dated March 29, 1989, for a term of ten (10) years commencing May 1, 1989 and ending on April 30, 1999 with two (2) successive options to extend for additional terms of five (5) years, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and DAR, Inc. as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

12. Rights of Julie Jongnee Kim (d/b/a Fantasy Cleaners) as tenant only, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and Julie Jongnee Kim as Tenant, dated February 6, 1989, for a term of five (5) years commencing July 7, 1989 and ending on July 6, 1994, with one (1) option to extend for an additional term of five (5) years, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and Julie Jongnee Kim as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

13. Rights of Papa Gino's of America, Inc. (d/b/a Papa Gino's) as tenant only, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord and Papa Gino's of America, Inc. as Tenant, dated July 12, 1989, for a term of fifteen (15) years commencing September 19, 1989 and ending on September 18, 2004, with one (1) option to extend for an additional term of five (5) years, with respect to which a Notice of Lease dated as of October 3, 1989 is to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and Papa Gino's of America, Inc. as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

14. Rights of Ralph Sinclair, as tenant only, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and Ralph Sinclair, as Tenant, dated March 16, 1989, for a term of five (5) years commencing July 1, 1989 and ending on June 30, 1994, with one (1) option to extend for an additional term of five (5) years, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and Ralph Sinclair, as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

15. Rights of Robert M. Striberg, Trustee of Guardian Realty Trust, under a Declaration of Trust dated June 30, 1984 and recorded with the Norfolk Registry of Deeds in Book 6440, Page 678, under a Lease between Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Landlord, and Robert M. Striberg, Trustee as aforesaid, as Tenant, dated January 23, 1989 for a term of ten (10) years commencing on October 15, 1989 and ending on October 14, 1999, with two (2) successive options to extend for additional terms of five (5) years each, as affected by a Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment Agreement by and between John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, as Mortgagee, and Robert M. Striberg, Trustee as aforesaid, as Lessee, and acknowledged and consented to by Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, as Mortgagor, effective as of October 12, 1989 and to be recorded with said Deeds contemporaneously herewith.

For title, reference is made to a Deed from Industrial Contractors and Developers, Inc. to Tewksbury Square Realty Corporation, dated October 13, 1988 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4721, Page 1.

There is also included in the sale all appliances, furnishings and fixtures located on the premises to the extent the same are part of the realty.

There is also included in the sale all of the interest of the mortgage in all goods, fixtures, inventory, accounts, documents, instruments, chattel paper and general intangibles (each as defined in the Massachusetts Uniform Commercial Code) of every kind and nature attached to, placed upon, or used in connection with the premises which are subject to said Mortgage Deed and Security Agreement, products thereof and replacements thereof and accessions and additions thereto including, but not limited to all licenses, permits and approvals for the ownership, maintenance and operation of said premises, all plans and specifications pertaining to said premises, all appraisals, engineering, soils and other reports and studies relating to said premises, and all contract rights, warranties, guaranties, catalog, tenant lists, correspondence with present or prospective tenants or suppliers, advertising materials, and telephone exchange numbers as identified in such materials.

Said premises will be sold subject to and/or with the benefit of any and all restrictions, easements, agreements and any matters of record which have priority over the mortgage being foreclosed, if any there be.

Said premises will be sold subject to an Amended Order of Conditions dated October 19, 1988, recorded with said Deeds in Book 4720, Page 447, as affected by a Certificate of Compliance dated October 15, 1990, recorded with said Deeds in Book 5357, Page 87.

Said premises will also be sold subject to any unpaid real estate taxes, municipal or other public liens or taxes, water and sewer assessments, and tax title takings if any there be, which have priority over the mortgage being foreclosed. Said premises will be subject to all tenancies or occupation by persons on the premises now and at the time of said auction which tenancies or occupation are subject to said mortgage, to rights or claims in personal property now located on said premises belonging to said tenants or occupants, and also to all laws and ordinances including, but not limited to, all building and zoning laws and ordinances.

TERMS OF SALE: The highest bidder therefor shall be required to deposit ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00) in cash or by cashier's, bank treasurer's or certified check at the time and place of the sale. Such deposit shall be shown to the auctioneer prior to the commencement of the bidding in order for a person to be entitled to bid.

The highest bidder will be required to deposit an additional ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00) in cash or by cashier's, bank treasurer's, or certified check on or before 5:00 o'clock P.M. on the tenth (10th) day after the auction sale (or if that date falls on a day when said Registry of Deeds is not open for business, then on the next business day following said tenth (10th) day when said Registry of Deeds is so open), at the offices of Rackemann, Sawyer & Brewster, One Financial Center, Boston, Massachusetts.

The balance of the purchase price shall be paid forty (40) days after the auction sale (or if that date falls on a day when said Registry of Deeds is not open for business, then on the next business day following said fortieth (40th) day when said Registry of Deeds is so open).

The highest bidder shall be required to sign a Memorandum of Sale containing the above terms and any other terms announced at the auction sale. The deposit paid at the time of the auction sale shall be forfeited if said highest bidder does not comply strictly with the terms of a Memorandum of Sale.

OTHER TERMS TO BE ANNOUNCED AT THE SALE

DATED: December 13, 1991

JOHN HANCOCK MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

present holder of said Mortgage

by its attorneys,

Rackemann, Sawyer

& Brewster, P.C.

One Financial Center

Boston,

Massachusetts 02111

D18,25,J1



**MORTGAGEE'S SALE  
OF REAL ESTATE**

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Robert J. Manie and Lauren E. Butland, to Eastern Savings Bank, now known as Eastern Bank, dated October 23, 1986 and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 3750, Page 107, of which said mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at public auction upon the premises (398 Chandler Street, Tewksbury, Massachusetts) hereinafter described on January 17, 1992 at one-thirty (1:30) o'clock, P.M. all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and described therein as follows:

The premises in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:  
A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being Lot No. 23 on plan entitled, "Hillcrest Park in Tewksbury, Mass.," dated September 20, 1948, made by Dana F. Perkins, C.E., recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 73, Plan 76, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

**NORTHWESTERLY** by Chandler Street, eighty feet;  
**NORTHERLY** by a curved line forming the junction of said Chandler Street and Christine Drive, being an unnamed on said plan thirty-one and 42/100 feet;

**NORTHEASTERLY** by said Christine Drive eighty-one feet;  
**SOUTHEASTERLY** by Lot No. 28 on said plan one hundred feet; and  
**SOUTHWESTERLY** by Lot No. 18 on said plan one hundred one foot.

Said premises are conveyed subject to an easement to the Town of Tewksbury over a strip of land five feet in width along the southeasterly boundary of the above granted premises. See instrument recorded in said Registry, Book 1242, Page 92.  
Being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagors herein by deed of James T. Killion, Jr. et al dated October 23, 1986 and recorded herewith.

In the event of any typographical errors in the publication of this notice, the description in the mortgage shall control.  
The above described premises shall also be sold subject to, and with the benefit of, all restrictions, easements, rights of others, unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, municipal liens, and existing encumbrances of record created prior to the mortgage, if any there be.

**TERMS OF SALE:** The amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) DOLLARS is to be paid in cash or certified and/or cashier's check by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance of the purchase price to be paid upon delivery of the deed within twenty (20) days of the date of the sale.

In the event that the successful Bidder at the foreclosure sale shall default in purchasing the within property according to the terms of this Notice of Sale and/or terms of the Memorandum of Sale executed at the time of foreclosure, the mortgagee reserves the right to sell the property by foreclosure deed to the second highest bidder providing that said second highest bidder shall deposit with Mortgagee's attorney, Jerome F. Twomey the amount of the required deposit as set forth herein within Three (3) business days after written notice of the default of the previous high bidder and title shall be conveyed to the said highest bidder within Twenty (20) days of said written notice.

The Mortgagee reserves the right to postpone the sale to a later date by public proclamation at the time and place appointed for the sale and to further postpone at any adjourned sale date by public proclamation at the time and place appointed for the adjourned sale date.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at sale.

**EASTERN BANK  
MORTGAGEE AND PRESENT  
HOLDER**  
By: LAWRENCE E. DONNELLY  
ITS ASST. VICE PRESIDENT

D18,25J1  
From the Office of Jerome F. Twomey,  
Esq; 265 Essex Street, Salem, Mass.  
01970; (508) 744-0620

**ATTRACTIVE EASTERN BANK  
FINANCING PROGRAMS AVAILABLE  
TO QUALIFIED SUCCESSFUL  
BIDDER. CALL MR. PRATT AT (508)  
740-6119.**

**TOWN OF TEWKSBURY****CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION  
LEGAL NOTICE  
PUBLIC HEARING**

The Erlin Manor Limited Partnership of Rowley, MA., having submitted a notice of intent to remove, fill, dredge, or alter marsh, swamp, bank, beach, dune, or flat bordering an existing creek, river, stream, pond or lake or land under said waters or land subject to flooding, the said land is located at 10 Erlin Terrace, Tewksbury, MA., Map 47; Parcel 26 & 29 according to a plan by Dana F. Perkins & Associates, Inc. dated June 5, 1991 a copy of the notice of intent and proposed plans have been filed with the Tewksbury Conservation Commission; therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by said Conservation Commission at the Town Hall, Town Hall Avenue, Tewksbury, MA on Wednesday, January 8, 1992 at 7:30 p.m. in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 131, Section 40, as amended.

D25 Vincent Spada  
Chairman

**LEGAL NOTICE  
U-HAUL COMPANY  
SELF-STORAGE  
FACILITY SALE**

Self-Storage Facility Operator's Sale for non-payment of storage charges pursuant to the power of sale contained in M.G.L. Chapter 105-A, Section 4. The following property will be sold at Public Auction at 3:00 P.M. Thursday, January 9, 1992 on the premises of Wilmington Moving & Storage Center, 687 Main Street, Rt. #38, Wilmington, Ma. All household furniture, antiques, trunks, books, tools, clothes, appliances, bric-a-brac miscellany held for the accounts of: Richard Muise, Rm. 49; Richard Muise, Rm. 51. Sale per order of U-Haul Company of Boston, Inc. Terms: Cash. Wm. F. Moon & Co., Auctioneers, MA Lic. #151.

D18,25

**MORTGAGEE'S SALE  
OF REAL ESTATE**

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by John P. Coyle and Ruth L. Coyle to Home Savings of America, F.A., dated October 9, 1987, and recorded with Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 4273, Page 106, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 12:00 noon, on the 23rd day of January, A.D. 1992, on the mortgaged premises located at 14 Apple Tree Road, Tewksbury, MA, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage.

**TO WIT:**  
That certain mortgage by and between John P. Coyle and Ruth L. Coyle as mortgagors, and Home Savings of America, F.A., as mortgagee, dated October 9, 1987.

The land in said Tewksbury, with the buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Apple Tree Road, being shown as Lot 8 on a plan entitled "Oak Knoll in Tewksbury, Mass.," owned by Edward J. Sullivan" dated December 8, 1949 by Dana F. Perkins, C.E., and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 77, Plan 7, containing 10,000 square feet of land, according to said plan, and being thus bounded:

**NORTHERLY** by said Apple Tree Road, 100 feet;  
**EASTERLY** by Lot 7 on said plan, 100 feet;

**SOUTHERLY** by a right of way of the New England Power Company, as shown on said plan, 100 feet; and  
**WESTERLY** by Lot 9 on said plan, 100 feet.

This conveyance is hereby made subject to the restrictions mentioned in a certain deed from Edward J. Sullivan to Bernard H. Marion dated April 17, 1954 and recorded in said Registry, Book 1254, Page 582; subject also to any grants to the Lowell Electric Light Corp. on record. All of said restrictions of grants in so far as the same may still be in force and applicable.

Being all and the same premises conveyed to us by deed of Edward F. Slowe and Deborah Slowe of even delivery and record herewith.

Said Premises will be sold subject to/or with the benefit of any and all restrictions, easements, improvements, covenants, taxes, assessments, liens, or claims in the nature of liens, and existing encumbrances of record created prior to the Mortgage, if any, there be. A deposit of Eight Thousand Four Hundred Dollars in cash, certified check or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale with the balance of the purchase price to be paid within 30 days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the time and place of sale.

**HOME SAVINGS OF AMERICA, FSB**  
Present holder of said Mortgage  
by its attorneys  
**SERINO, LEY, YOUNG &  
GRUMBACH**  
by John G. Serino  
Serino, Ley, Young & Grumbach  
260 Franklin Street,  
Boston, Massachusetts 02110  
Dated: December 13, 1991  
D25,J1,8 (617)439-4700

**COMMONWEALTH OF  
MASSACHUSETTS  
SHERIFF'S SALE**

(SEAL) **MIDDLESEX, SS.**

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on the seventeenth day of January, 1992, at 11:00 o'clock, A.M., at the Sheriff's Office at 97 Central Street, Lowell, Massachusetts, in the County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that said SFA Realty Trust of 1983, J. Jack Manuel and Mark A. Manuel, Trustees of 3 Nutting Road, Westford in the County of Middlesex had (not exempt by law from levy on execution or from attachment) on the twenty-eighth day of February, 1991, being the time when the same was attached on Mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

The land in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, together with the buildings and improvements thereon shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Land in Tewksbury, Mass., Scale 1"=100', April 26, 1983" drawn by Hayes Engineering, Inc., Civil Engineers & Land Surveyors, which plan is to be recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds prior to the recording of this instrument, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Northwestly sideline of Carter Street which point is 100.00 feet Southwestly of an iron pipe (I.P.) in the ground, as shown on said plan;

Thence running N 48° 55' 26" W 298.00 feet to a point;

Thence turning and running S 42° 17' 41" W 30.92 feet to a point;

Thence running S 41° 08' 51" W 67.36 feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N 48° 51' 09" W 351.90 feet to a point;

Thence turning and running S 41° 08' 51" W 450.00 feet to a point;

Thence turning and running S 48° 51' 09" E 650.00 feet to a point on the Northwestly sideline of Carter Street;

Thence turning and running N 42° 07' 47" E on the Northwestly sideline of said Carter Street 65.35 feet to a point;

Thence running N 41° 04' 34" E, still on the Northwestly sideline of Carter Street 483.30 feet to the point of beginning.

Said parcel containing, according to the said plan, 322,272 square feet (7.398 acres) of land.

**TERMS OF SALE:** CASH

R. Scott Gonfrade  
Deputy Sheriff  
Middlesex County  
(508) 452-3221

D25,J1,8

**NOTICE OF  
MORTGAGEE'S SALE  
OF REAL ESTATE**

Premises: 108 Heath Street,  
Tewksbury, MA 01876

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George D. McCormack and Ann M. McCormack to Northeastern Mortgage Company, Inc. dated July 28, 1988, and recorded with the Middlesex North County Registry of Deeds in Book 4606 Page 182, and assigned to Meridian Mortgage Corporation, said assignment dated June 2, 1989, and recorded with the Middlesex North County Registry of Deeds in Book 4909 Page 295, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions in said mortgage obtained and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1992, upon the mortgage premises at 108 Heath Street, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts being shown as Lots No. 470 to 475 inclusive, on plan entitled "Shawheen River Park, Tewksbury and Billerica," dated May, 1909, by J.W. Arey, Surveyor, recorded with Middlesex North Registry of Deeds Plan Book 26 Page 41, and being together bounded and described as follows:

**SOUTHERLY** by Alder Road, 303.3 feet;

**NORTHWESTERLY** 296.3 feet;

**NORTHERLY** 50.8 feet; and

**EASTERLY** by Heath Street, 144 feet, more or less, be all of said measurements more or less and however otherwise said premises may be bounded, measured or described.

Subject to Sewer Easement to Town of Tewksbury recorded in Middlesex North Registry of Deeds in Book 2495 Page 158.

Being the same premises conveyed to George D. McCormack and Ann M. McCormack by deed dated October 31, 1985 and recorded at Middlesex North Registry of Deeds in Book 3234 Page 161.

**TERMS OF SALE:** Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the same mortgage above described. Ten Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$10,000.00) of the purchase price must be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser and the balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within thirty days after the date of sale. The deed shall be delivered within thirty (30) days from the date of the sale by the mortgagee.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Meridian Mortgage Corporation,  
By its Attorney-in-Fact,  
D11,18,25 Carol A. Kenney, Esquire  
Bourget & Kenney 157 Locust Street,  
PO Box DD, Falmouth, MA 02540;  
508-548-6772

**COMMONWEALTH OF  
MASSACHUSETTS  
LAND COURT  
DEPARTMENT OF  
THE TRIAL COURT**

(SEAL) **Case No. 171654**

To: John E. Aslanis and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as Receiver for: First American Bank for Savings with a usual business address located at 4 Park Place, Jamboree Center, Irvine, CA 92714 claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Tewksbury, numbered as Pheasant Hunt Condominiums, Unit 30, Bldg. #2, Tewksbury, MA 01876 given by John E. Aslanis and Laura A. Dunn to First American Bank for Savings dated June 12, 1987 and recorded with the Middlesex (North) County Registry of Deeds in Book 4101, Page 52 has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 20th day of January 1992, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness JOHN E. FENTON, JR., Chief Justice of said Court this 5th day of December 1991.

D25 Charles W. Trombly, Jr.  
Recorder

**TOWN OF TEWKSBURY****PLANNING BOARD  
LEGAL NOTICE  
PUBLIC HEARING**

Pursuant to MGL Chapter 41, Section 81-A through 81-GG, the Town of Tewksbury Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing at 7:00 PM on Monday January 13, 1992 at the Tewksbury Town Hall, Town Hall Avenue, Tewksbury MA. to consider the following application:

The application of Kevin O'Brien, P.O. Box 448 Tewksbury, MA 01876 for approval of a Definitive Subdivision, Plan entitled "Foster Lane." Said plan is dated December 4, 1991 and prepared by Dana F. Perkins Inc., 1215 Main Street, Unit 109, Tewksbury MA. 01876. Said plan has been submitted to the Tewksbury Planning Board and is on file therewith.

The land shown on the Definitive Subdivision plan is described on lots of portions thereof as shown on the Tewksbury Tax Assessor's Map 24 Lot 26. The record owner of the subject premises is Kevin O'Brien.

Said application and plan may be viewed in the Tewksbury Planning Board Office, located in the Sughrue DPW Building, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA. from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Friday.

D18,25 Robert A. Fowler,  
Chairman

**MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE  
OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Neil E. Hodgson, Jr. and Dorothea E. Hodgson to Citicorp Mortgage, Inc., dated October 24, 1989, recorded with Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 5049, Page 153, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 9:00 A.M. on January 8, 1992, on the mortgaged premises as below described, being known as 20R High Street, Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

**To Wit:**  
The land in Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot #8 on Definitive Subdivision Plan, Fox Run Drive, Wilmington, Mass. Applicant: NORTHEASTERN DEVELOPMENT CORP. - ENGINEER - Robert E. Anderson, Inc. North Reading Ma., dated May 23, 1985, Scale 1"=40', recorded in Middlesex North District Registry, Plan Book 152, Plan 84 and bounded and described as follows:

**NORTHWESTERLY** along Route 62 as shown on said plan in two courses measuring 275 feet and 38.75 feet;

**NORTHERLY** by Lot 7 as shown on said plan, 98.64 feet.

**NORTHEASTERLY** by land now or formerly of James and Anna Mullen, 50.56 feet.

**NORTHEASTERLY** by land now or formerly of James and Anna Mullen, 392.22 feet.

**SOUTHERLY** by High Street as shown on said plan, 25.01 feet;

**SOUTHWESTERLY** by land now or formerly of Samuel F. Perry, 258.81 feet.

**SOUTHWESTERLY** by land now or formerly of Samuel F. Perry and Frank and Lillian Perdicaro, 176.76 feet to the point of beginning.

Said lot 8 contains 39,961 square feet.

Subject to and together with any and all easements, restrictions and conditions of record insofar as now in force and applicable.

Being the same premises conveyed to us by deed of Irving R. Napert and Gary A. Napert to be recorded herewith.

The above premises will be sold subject to all outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments, betterments, or liens, if any.

**TERMS OF SALE**

Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars will be required to be paid in cash or by Bank Cashiers Check or Bank Treasurers Check or Certified Check by the Purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money.

The balance of the purchase price is to be paid in cash or by Bank Cashiers Check or Bank Treasurers Check or Certified Check upon delivery of the deed within twenty (20) days of the date of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

Citicorp Mortgage, Inc.  
**PRESENT HOLDER OF SAID  
MORTGAGE**  
By its attorney  
Donald H. Carvin

D11,18,25

**COMMONWEALTH OF  
MASSACHUSETTS  
THE TRIAL COURT  
THE PROBATE AND FAMILY  
COURT DEPARTMENT  
PROBATE OF WILL  
WITHOUT SURETIES**

Middlesex Division  
Docket No. 91P5654E

Estate of Eva B. Marasco late of  
Wilmington in the County of Middlesex.  
Died Nov. 4, 1991.

**NOTICE**

A petition has been presented in the above captioned matter praying that a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased may be proved and allowed and that Joseph A. Marasco of Fort Leavenworth, in the state of Kansas, be appointed executor without giving surety on his bond.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on January 7, 1992.

In addition you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating the specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the Court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, Sheila E. McGovern, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge, the Tenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-one.

D25 Donna M. Lambert  
Register of Probate

**COMMONWEALTH OF  
MASSACHUSETTS  
SHERIFF'S SALE**

(SEAL) **MIDDLESEX, SS.**

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on the seventeenth day of January, 1992, at 10:00 o'clock, A.M., at the Sheriff's Office at 97 Central Street, Lowell, Massachusetts, in the County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that said Nancy H. Horne of 209 Wildwood Street, Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex had (not exempt by law from levy on execution or from attachment) on the tenth day of July, 1990, being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

the land with the buildings thereon situated in Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, on the westerly side of Wildwood Street, bounded and described as follows:

**EASTERLY** by Wildwood Street by two (2) lines, one hundred forty-seven and 37/100 (147.37) feet;

**SOUTHERLY** by land now or formerly of Sargent, one hundred thirty-one and 54/100 (131.54) feet;

**WESTERLY** by land now or formerly of Bent, one hundred eight and 97/100 (108.97) feet; and

**NORTHERLY** by land now or formerly of Sumner, one hundred six (106) feet.

Containing approximately 14, 084 square feet of land.

**TERMS OF SALE:** CASH

R. Scott Gonfrade  
Deputy Sheriff  
Middlesex County  
(508) 452-3221

D25,J1,8

**TOWN OF TEWKSBURY****Police warn:  
boxes can  
tip off thieves****POLICE DEPARTMENT  
LEGAL NOTICE**

The Town of Tewksbury, Massachusetts will receive sealed bids for the following:

Furnishing materials and labor for renovations to the Tewksbury Police Department offices.

Specifications and proposal forms for bidding this item may be obtained from the office of the Chief of Police, 935 Main Street, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, during normal working hours from December 18, 1991 until the expiration of the time for filing of bids. Bids must be filed at the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts not later than 4:00 P.M. local time on January 8, 1992 at which time the bids will be opened and read.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within (30) days after the date designated above for the opening of bids. The town reserves the right to reject any and all bids, wholly or in part, and to accept any bid or part thereof deemed to be in the best interest of the town.

D18,25 John R. Mackey,  
Chief of Police

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**Pre-school program**

A pre-school program for special needs youngsters operates every day at Wilmington High School. On Thursday, Michael Benz and Jessica Claffin shared a moment at the play-schoo kitchen.

## churches

### Congregational Church in Tewksbury

The Rev. Paul Millin, pastor; 851-9411; East and Main Streets.  
**Sunday, Dec. 29:** 10 a.m., worship, Church School for three year olds through grade 12, nursery-car provided, fellowship time after worship.

### Church of St. William

Conducted by the Oblate Fathers, 1268 Main St., suite 161, telephone: Rectory 851-7331; Religious Education Center, 851-3471.

**Mass schedule:** Saturday evenings at 4 and 7; Sundays at 7:30, 9 (up, family, down) and 10:30 a.m. and noon and 5 p.m.; weekdays at 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.; holy days except Christmas and January 1, on the eve of the holy day at 4 and 7; on the holy day at 7 and 9 a.m. and 5:15 and 7:30 p.m.; first Friday at 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

**Confessions:** will be heard Saturdays and eve of holy days from 3 to 3:45 p.m.; anytime at the Rectory; first Friday before each mass.

**Clothing Drive:** Bundle Sunday at St. William's is scheduled for January 4 and 5, 1992. This year in place of the annual St. Vincent dePaul Arch-diocesan clothing drive there will be a drive at the parish level.

### Congregational Church in Wilmington

220 Middlesex Avenue; 658-2264; parsonage 658-0473.

**Thurs., Dec. 26:** 6:15 a.m., morning prayer; 8 p.m., N.A.

**Sun., Dec. 29:** 9 a.m., Chancel Choir rehearsal; no Sunday School; 10:30 a.m., worship service followed by coffee hour; 5 p.m., Youth group.

**Mon., Dec. 30:** 7 p.m., Cub Scout Den Six; 7:30 p.m., Women's prayer and praise.

**Tues., Dec. 31:** 7 p.m., Youth Group New Year's Eve party.

### Wilmington United Methodist Church

The Rev. Michael Stotts, pastor, 658-8217; Bill Barclay, pastor's assistant, 657-5224; church office, 658-4519. Wilmington's United Methodist Church is accessible to handicapped individuals.

**Fri., Dec. 17:** 7 p.m., meeting of baptism parents at the parsonage.

**Sun., Dec. 29:** 8:15 a.m., Informal communion service; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School for all ages; 10:30 a.m., family worship service and service of baptism, infant and preschool care; 11 a.m., Children's activity time for grades one through six; 4:30 p.m., Junior High Youth group; 6 p.m., Senior High Youth Group (alumni night); 8:30 p.m., Al-Anon.

**Mon., Dec. 30:** 9:30 a.m., office volunteers prepare newsletter for mailing.

**Tues., Dec. 31:** 8:30 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous.

**Wed., Jan. 1:** Happy New Year!; Alcoholics Anonymous at noon.

**Thurs., Jan. 2:** 7 a.m., service of morning prayer; 3:30 p.m., Brownie Troop; 7 p.m., Trustees meeting; 7:30 p.m., Teachers meeting, Junior Girl Scouts.

## 'Jean of all trades' publishes a book

by Arlene Surprenant

**My Tree**, a story about a young girl named Alice and life in a simpler time, started out as a thank-you to a thoughtful friend. This year the small book is available to the general public thanks to the perseverance of its author Jean Lefavour.

Jean is known locally as the owner of Stillwater Co. She is also a creative storyteller who has shared her talents, from time to time, with youngsters at the Wilmington United Methodist Church.

Jean originally wrote the Christmas story in 1986 as a way to pay back a friend who sent her a crystal tree as a gift. The story lay forgotten until this year when Jean became disturbed by headlines heralding the spread of AIDS and increasing incidents of rape and violence.

"I wondered what is happening

with this world. I wanted to reach back to an earlier time, to something more solid, to Alice's time. I thought with all the violence and brutality and things people are doing to each other maybe it's time to share this innocuous little story," said Jean.

With that in mind, the author asked her daughter Judy to design a cover and come up with a few illustrations for the book. Then she brought the story to the Rapid Reproductions print shop in North Wilmington and had some copies run off. After making the rounds of local businesses, Jean found four that were willing to stock her book. Copies sell for two dollars each and are available at Mary Ann's Books and Mahoney's Too in Tewksbury, Wilmington Office Supply and at New England Nurseries.

This story, like others soon to follow, are about Jean's favorite

subject, nature. The story is set in the 1930's and centers on the Christmas celebration of the Darling family and a young girl's search for the perfect Christmas tree.

"I reached back and drew from some of my own memories. I looked at rituals and activities that were appropriate for that gentler time," says Jean.

Jean stresses that money has little to do with her writing; she writes, she says, from her heart and her own experience. In a month or so, Jean plans to publish her next story, **The Donut Tree**, about a dog, a squirrel, and donuts that fall from the sky. Next Christmas may see the publication of another holiday story, **A Chipmunk's Christmas**.

Most of Jean's story ideas come to her while she manages her thriving nursery and jewelry business. Stillwater Co, located on

Glen Road in Wilmington, allows Jean a measure of independence as she sells flowers, trees, garlands, wreaths, and unique handmade jewelry. Jean also offers a rare commodity in today's commercial market — personal service. For customers pressed for time, Jean will not only select the right Christmas tree for them, but will also deliver and set it up in her customer's home or office. Just recently she delivered a wreath to an elderly resident. When she realized there was no one around to hang it for her, Jean undertook the job herself.

"We really owe it to one another to be kind and to do those little things for each other that don't cost a dime," she says.

It is this kind of caring and thoughtfulness that shine through in Jean Lefavour's books as well as her own life.

## bits & pieces

### Birthdays

George Abelli of Hinckley Road, Tewksbury, will face a glowing birthday cake on December 27.

Mary Burns, formerly of Grove Avenue, Wilmington, who recently moved to Reading, will observe her 93rd birthday on New Year's Day. Mrs. Burns will share her special day with Lisa Krikorian of Dublin Avenue, Wilmington, and Norma O'Connors of Chestnut Street.

January 3 will mark the special day of Florence Bertwell of Chestnut Street, Wilmington.

Phyllis Lockhart of Carson Avenue, Wilmington and Kristin Lubanski of Cunningham Street, will be serenaded by friends and relatives on January 4.

Jean Webster of Andover Street, Wilmington and James Boudreau of Roosevelt Road will be a year wiser on January 5.

### UMass Golden Key

Elizabeth Morris, daughter of Alice and Harold Morris of Bridge Lane, Wilmington and Michael Linskey, son of Maura G and Robert Linskey of Hathaway Road, have been honored at the UMass., Amherst.

Elizabeth, a member of the Class of 1992 majoring in hotel, restaurant and travel administration, has become a member of the UMass. Chapter of Golden Key, a national academic honor society formed to recognize and encourage outstanding achievement in all fields of study. She is a 1988 graduate of WHS.

Michael has been awarded the William P. "Red" Curtin Memorial Scholarship from the journalism department at the university. A member of the class of 1993 majoring in journalism, he graduated from WHS in 1989.

### Chelmsford crafters

The Crafters Ltd., will hold a regular meeting at the Carriage House, Adams Library, Chelmsford January 7 at 7:30 p.m.

The program for the evening will feature a quick and easy calligraphy workshop by Pat Hamilton, who will demonstrate everyday uses for calligraphy. The public is invited; membership is open to all levels of crafters and to those who are craft lovers. Call Marie at 256-8818.

### Keith Alter

Keith D. Alter of Cleveland Avenue, Wilmington has been elected to membership in the American Society of Notaries, a national nonprofit organization of persons who hold the office of notary public.

Mr. Alter is the vice president of Alternative Solutions, Inc., in Boston.

### Singles Dance

A singles dance, sponsored by the Lexington Chapter of The Single Life will be held at K of C Hall, Main Street, Tewksbury on Friday, Jan. 10 from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. All singles are welcome.

### To enter

To enter an item in Bits & Pieces, call the Town Crier at 658-2346 days and Tuesday nights or 658-2907 other nights and weekends. Ask for BeeDee.

### Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunningham of Beacon Street, Wilmington will mark their 45th wedding anniversary on January 5.

### Award for Toni

Wildwood School second grader Toni Marie Wheelock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wheelock of Mackey Road, Wilmington, has earned an Extra Effort Award for reading.

The award was presented recently by her teacher, Elaine Lemieux. Toni is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hillson, also of Mackey Road.

### Honors at Matignon

Kristan Mazaka and Heidi Mitza, both of Wilmington have been named to the honor roll at Matignon High School in Cambridge.

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**David (D.J.) Johnson** (age eight, Wildwood) - A bike.

**Krista Wolfe** (age eight, Wildwood) - All the kids to get off drugs because drugs hurt people.

**Timmy Smith** (age 11, Wildwood) - Super Nintendo because it's brand new in all the stores.

**Laurie Kennison** (age eight, Shawsheen) - Love for my parents - that's what I want for them.

**Laurie Brewer** (age eight, Shawsheen) - Baby Wanna Walk doll.

**Carolyn Martel** (age seven, Wildwood) - Star Brite Sparkle doll because you can hug her and she glows.

**Dom Carbone** (age 11, Wildwood) - a pair of Z Cavaricci's

because they're cool.

**Glenn Brewer** (age 11, Shawsheen) - a TCR with a jam car 500. It would be better than the one I have now.

**Kenny Stokes** (age 10, Wildwood) - Turbograft-16 because it has CD sound.

**Jim Strand** (age eight, North Street School) - A dirt bike and an iguana.

**Marc Lopez** (age nine, Shawsheen) - An iguana. I already have a snake, two dogs, one cat, four rabbits and two hamsters.

**Julie Ann Carbone** (age five, Wildwood) - a Baby Alive doll to hug and play with.

**Jennifer Lopez** (age seven, Shawsheen) - Love; love is very important to the world.

**Laura Jean Strand** (age six, North Street School) - The Mermaid doll because it talks under water. Also a Steve Urkle doll.

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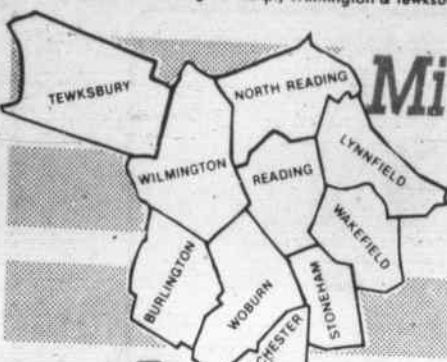
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## To the men and women who can't be home for Christmas

By ANTHONY MANCONI

I'm sure some of you remember a sentimental popular song that was sung, especially during this time of the year. The first line of this beautiful song that was on every GI's lips during World War II was "I'll be home for Christmas, if only in my dreams." Something inside all of us beckons us home for Christmas. We remember that day as being with our families and friends. Many of us couldn't be home in the war years of World War II and many today must remain at their duty posts or stations throughout the world. But they, along with those at home, can be together in prayer, in a church, temple or assembly.

Since time immemorial seafaring men have looked up to the stars for guidance. They relied on the North Star for direction and thereby sailed a true course.

In 1943, a troop transport loaded down with men and equipment left San Francisco Harbor, sailed under the Golden Gate Bridge and under the cover of darkness headed for the open sea. The ship was headed for the South Pacific war area.

Many of the troops wondered how in the world the ship's captain could find his direction, sailing without a Naval Escort. "There is no problem," the captain explained, "I get guidance from the stars." The Three Wise Men in St. Matthew's Gospel also followed a star. It led them to a stable in Bethlehem where the Child

Jesus was born.

The troopship captain, the Wise Men and we can depend on a STAR so that one day we will sail a true course into a harbor of Everlasting Peace.

A special prayer and "Thank You" to the men and women who can't be home for Christmas. Many of them in the military all over the world, also those in emergency standby in hospitals, police and firefighters and public safety units as well as men and women in the public utility power stations and all others who are doing their jobs for us, working so that we may feel a little safer during the holidays.

God Bless You All and Merry Christmas.

## Salvation Army seeks to help area families

The M.E. Santa is that jolly-ol fella who makes an annual appearance in our Middlesex East publications to try to make Christmas a bit brighter for individuals and families.

His efforts are rewarded as funds from the drive go directly to the Salvation Army that helps the needy in this area.

The needs, though, are not just for this holiday season but are year-round, they tell us. Salvation Army officials have had several

meetings with editors and publishers of the M.E. publications this season and stress the importance of the funds.

It seems, too, this year, that everyone has sensed the need, given the state of regional economy. In addition to the M.E. Santa, there was the New England Patriots Irving Fryar this week outside a mall with a familiar Salvation Army red kettle at his side.

On radio, there was the familiar voice of Paul

Harvey, citing the efforts of the Salvation Army during the holiday season. He also "commented" on the fact the Salvation's Army's 3% for administrative fees is a national low for such non-profit organizations.

It's good to see everyone getting in on the act. There is a lot more attention and a lot more need this year.

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Jason Lavochkin; **Reading -**  
Michael Midwood, Eric Previte,  
Stephen Zervas; **Stoneham -**  
Andrew Timofeev; **Tewksbury -**  
Scott Miller; **Wakefield -** Michael  
Andruchow, Kevin McCarthy,  
Michael Sposito; **Winchester -**

**Honors - Burlington -** Neil Guanci, Timothy Igo, Sean Kinchla, Michael Murphy, Patrick O'Sullivan, Yves Rivera; **Lynnfield -** Anthony Moutolo, Stephen Ragalevsky, Mark Ferullo, Joshua Lingel; **North Reading -** William Caso, Michael Eastman, Timothy McGilvray, Robert Richard, Steven Solano, Jeffrey Suarez, Ralph Tenaglia; **Reading -** Todd Breau, John Guanci, Keith Moran, Matthew Samalis, Adam DeBrigard, James Flaherty, Adam Kline, John Williams III, Keith Heselton; **Stoneham -** Robert Campbell, Jr., David Kuhn, Ryan Mahoney, Andrew Staffier, Michael Lynch, A. Raia, Jr.; **Tewksbury -** Albert Barchard, Shawn Carlan, James Connolly, Bryan Kelley, Christopher Toppin, Christopher

Baratta, Stephen Dulong, Daniel Fitzgerald, Ray Parker III; Winchester - Francis Mahoney, III; Woburn - Michael Brewster, Ryan Cannon, Matthew Mitchell, Domenic Saraceno, Chris Sullivan, Richard Paulsen.

## By PHYLLIS NISSEN

*"About The Towns" covers recent events in the 10-town Middlesex East area. Because Middlesex East deadlines are early, please check the front sections of this paper for up-to-date information about your town. We also welcome original material - please send it to Phyllis Nissen, "About The Towns," Middlesex East Supplement, Box 240, Reading, MA 01867.*

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FISH is located at the Burlington Community Life Center on Center Street, and drivers may apply for gas mileage compensation. For more information, call the BCLC at (617) 270-1961, or drop FISH a line.

**WILMINGTON** - In a joint effort between the Wilmington Rotary Club and the town, there could someday be a gravel walkway around the pond in Wilmington's Rotary Park.

According to Rotary President Peter DeGennaro, Wilmington Water and Sewer Commission Chairman Arthur Smith and the Wilmington "Town Crier," the trail will begin to loop from the starting point directly across from the police station, continuing around the pond to the Rotary Park sign on Church Street.

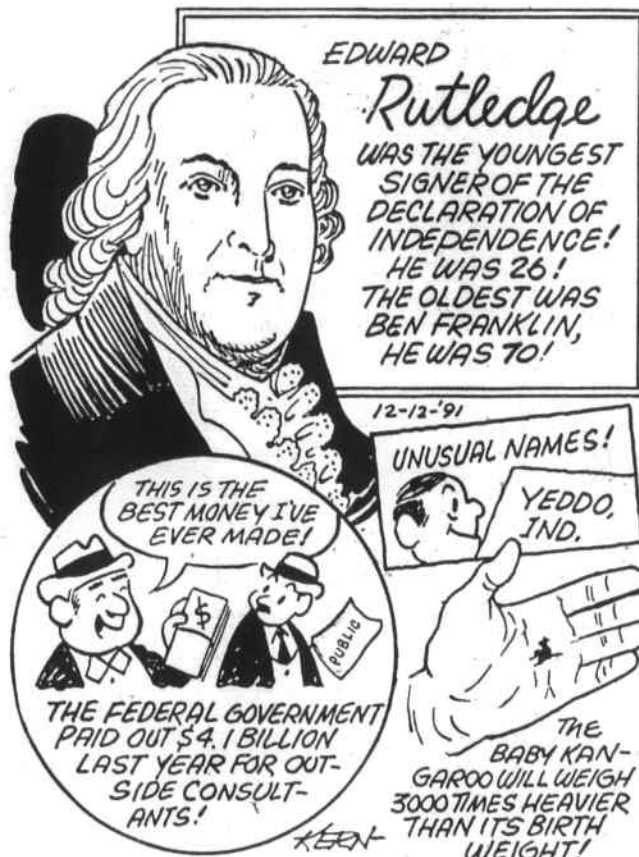
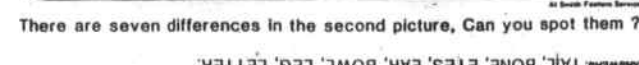
Under the supervision of the town's Public Works and Water Departments and the Conservation Commission, with the help of volunteers and the enthusiastic support of Wilmington Selectmen, Chairman Dan Ballou and Town Manager Michael Caira, trailblazers may cut back vegetation in six wetlands areas for the installation of park benches, remove all debris from the pond, and place bird feeders along the walkway and piping for underground wires underneath.

At the turn of the century, the park - built and donated by the Wilmington Rotary Club - was a cranberry bog owned by Dr. France Hiller, best known for having elaborate mahogany caskets carved for herself and her husband.

**SENIOR CENTER** - A federally funded weatherization assistance program is available to residents of Stoneham, Winchester, Woburn, Malden, Medford, and Everett.

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## Out of town birth

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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

— A Listing of Interesting Events and Happenings —

## VOYAGE IN SONG AT PEABODY MUSEUM

The rafters in historic East India Marine Hall at the Peabody Museum of Salem will reverberate with songs that might have been sung there a hundred years ago on Sunday, January 12, as Daisy Nell and David Coffin launch *A Voyage in Song*. One of a series of Sunday Family Concerts, this program of traditional and contemporary songs of the sea and shore combines voice, guitar, concertina and early wind instruments in a rousing performance where participation is encouraged. There is no charge beyond museum admission for the concert which begins at 3 p.m. For more information, call (508) 745-1876.

The performers are unique in their diverse backgrounds, combining expertise in folk and sea songs from Daisy with David's Early Music training and interests. They have performed together throughout New England in festivals, museums, coffeehouses, and on radio and television. Their program is often geared to educational contexts as they present concerts and participatory workshops for schools. Daisy is currently on the staff of the Peabody Museum Education Department. Their music, featuring chanteys, ballads, and other traditional and contemporary songs, are available on tape at the Museum Shop as well as local music stores.

## RAILROAD SHOW

A "Railroad Hobby Show" sponsored by Wenham Museum will be held on Saturday, January 4 (snow date Jan. 5), at Boker Middle School in Wenham from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ninety sales tables featuring everything for the model railroader, toy train operator and collector; parts, accessories, railroadiana, all scales and gauges.

Adult fee is \$2; children 6-14, \$1 (good for half-price admission to Wenham Museum).

Directions: Take exit 20A off Rte. 128 north, follow Rte. 1A north for 2.3 miles, left on Arbor Street beside church and take first right (School Street).

Call (508) 468-2377 for further information.

## LOCAL VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT FOR EXCHANGE PROGRAM

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## FIRST AID COURSE OFFERED AT WINCHESTER

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This two part course is offered from 6 to 10 p.m. on January 2nd and 9th at the Woburn YMCA.

To register and for price information, contact the Winchester Hospital's Education Department at (617) 756-2220.

## VOLUNTEER LITERACY TUTOR TRAINING

A workshop to train volunteer tutors to teach basic English to English-speaking adults will be held Saturday and Sunday, January 11 and 12, by the Eastern Massachusetts Literacy Council.

There is a \$33 fee which includes materials to be used in tutoring. For information or to register, call Donna Salacuse at (617) 862-3706.

## SINGLES DANCE IN TEWKSBURY

A singles dance will be held Friday, December 27 at the K of C on Rte. 38 in Tewksbury from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight.

The local chapter of The Single Life (TSL), a non-profit singles organization, invites all singles

over age 21, whether never married, divorced, widowed or separated.

The cost is \$3 for members and \$5 for non-members. For more information call (617) 729-4664.

## DIABETES CENTER OFFERS FREE LECTURE

The Diabetes Treatment Center at Waltham/Weston Hospital and Medical Center is hosting a monthly lecture series for the public. The January lecture entitled "What's New in Diabetes Research" will be presented by Stuart Brink, M.D., on Wednesday, January 15, at 7 p.m.

For more information or to register for the lecture, call Eileen Corcoran at (617) 647-6222.

## MENDING HEARTS: WOMEN IN TRANSITION

Mending Hearts is a support group for women who have suffered the loss of a relationship through separation, divorce or abandonment.

Meetings are held each Friday evening at 7 p.m., St. Athanasius Rectory, 300 Haverhill Street, Reading. Call (508) 664-3913 or (617) 944-8347 for information.

## WOMEN OVER 40 HIKE AND ROMP

Outdoor Vacations for Women over 40 has scheduled a two-week vacation, March 7-21, in Hawaii. Vacationers will meet on Kauai for the first five nights to hike along the Na-Pali Coast, from Waimea to Waipoo Falls and on the Awaawapuhi Ridge Trail.

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Hike the trembling slopes of Kilauea Volcano and into the steaming crater; walk the black sand beach in the Pololu Valley; and, bid aloha to new friends with a Hawaiian luau. Lodgings will be camping (five nights) and small inns (nine nights).

Inquiry deadline is January 7. For more information contact Marion Stoddart at (508) 448-3331 or write Outdoor Vacations, P.O. Box 200, Groton, MA 01450.

## OLYMPIC SPORT OF FENCING DEMONSTRATED

As the sporting world gears up for 1992, the Academy of Fencing offers an opportunity to learn about one of the less publicized Olympic sports.

A free demonstration of the Olympic sport of fencing will take place at the Academy of Fencing, 125 Walnut St., Watertown on Friday, January 3, at 8 p.m.

Some of New England's top

fencers will demonstrate foil, epee and sabre, the three "weapons" used in modern competitive fencing. One of the original events of the modern Olympics, fencing is an exciting sport for all ages.

The Academy of Fencing is the Boston area's only fencing school and is part of the nonprofit Boston Fencing Club.

Please call (617) 926-3450 for further information.

## BOSTON PREMIER OF BILLIE HOLIDAY

The artistry of Billie Holiday, America's legendary jazz singer, resonates in the Boston premiere of Lanie Robertson's award-winning drama, *Lady Day* at Emersons Bar and Grill. The play

with music opens at the New Repertory Theatre on January 2.

On a bare stage, with only a microphone and a pianist, Billie Holiday appears in one of her last performances. Set in the south Philadelphia nightclub where Billie performed, *Lady Day* features such heart-breaking and exhilarating classics as "God Bless the Child," "Strange Fruit" and "Ain't Nobody's Business if I Do." *Lady Day* is a compassionate, uplifting tribute to the courage and artistry of one of America's jazz greats.

*Lady Day* stars Miche Braden as Billie Holiday. She has performed *Lady Day* in Philadelphia,

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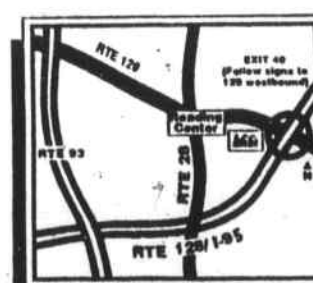
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## School notes

by phyllis nissen

"... National Education Week comes at a time when public education is receiving considerable attention in the media. This attention has focused on three plans which offer recommendations for the future of our schools."

As 1992 arrives, the message from Tewksbury Superintendent of Schools Christine L. McGrath in a "Town Crier" guest column in celebration of National Education Week seems relevant to every area town. McGrath's message is one of hope and pride, of the ideal and real throughout Middlesex East school systems.

"The first plan, authored by President Bush, is referred to as Education 2000," she notes. "Primary recommendations of the plan include that by the year 2000 every child will enter school ready to learn and that American children will lead the world in math and science achievement."

"The plan does not include any federal money to support the goals of the program."

"The second plan was developed by the Massachusetts Business Alliance for Education: a group of business activists impressed with the importance of education," she continues. "This plan urges the state to set higher expectations for student achievement, establish specific goals for local and state educational programs and provide incentives to those schools which achieve their goals. In addition, this plan recommends expanded preschool education, a longer school day and school based management with the building principal as the key figure."

"This plan provides funding by raising the tax levy at the local level and increasing state funding. These new revenues would be directed to public education."

The third plan was designed by Governor Weld. "The Weld plan requests that parents and business people take a bigger role in public education," notes McGrath. "The plan includes standardized assessments for students, increases certification requirements for teachers, revises teacher tenure and establishes a statewide core curriculum."

"The Governor has not identified any specific formula to fund this plan."

According to McGrath, the Education 2000 and the Massachusetts Business Alliance and Weld plans spotlight public education, and this is good; however, the danger is that these plans raise expectations when educators are being asked to provide quality education with reduced resources and bigger classes.

"There is a fourth plan that I would like to acknowledge ...," she continues. "This plan is founded on the daily lessons of the teachers who lead the instructional program. This plan is comprehensive and varies by subject and grade level, and it incorporates class discussion, written assignments, cooperative learning, and commercial- and teacher-made materials. The plan provides for the ongoing assessment of all children."

"The first three plans are ideas for the future. The fourth plan reflects the reality of goals being put into action."

She invites parents and interested community members to observe the educational process first hand by participating in a science lab, a cooking, math or physical education class, a literary discussion. "Teach a lesson," she urges, "by reading a story, showing the students slides of a recent trip, sharing a hobby, talking about your career or helping with an art lesson or cooking project."

For the dedicated teachers throughout the Middlesex East area, education knows no vacations. For them, "education weeks" are their lives, here, now and every week.

"Children ask the world of us," says McGrath. "Tewksbury teachers and staff give the world to our children every day."

## -Correction-

We are sorry. In the story on Natale Bellantone's "Memories of the Seabee's" portfolio, the wrong telephone number was printed.

Anyone wishing more information on how to obtain the portfolio or on the formation of a Seabee Island in Massachusetts should call 944-3081 or 367-1187.

We are sorry for the inconvenience.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

-A Listing of Interesting Events and Happenings-

### From S-3

Toronto, Detroit and Stony Point, New York. A Detroit native Ms. Braden now performs in Manhattan and Brooklyn in theater, cabaret, jazz, comedy, supper and night clubs. She is the artistic/musical director for a comedy troupe, "Dem Fools from Brooklyn," and the author of *Jazz Is...and Jazz Is...Too* which debuted at People's Light and Theater Company in Malvern, PA.

Lady Day at Emersons Bar and Grill will be in performance from January 2 through February 9. Performances are Thursdays and Fridays at 8 p.m., Saturdays at 5 and 8:30 p.m., and Sundays at 3 and 7:30 p.m. On Wednesday, January 8 and Wednesday, January 22, there will be a 21 p.m. matinee. Following the Sunday 3 p.m. performances and the Wednesday matinees, the Director and cast will hold informal discussions with the audience.

The New Rep is a professional company under contract with Actors' Equity Association. Located at 54 Lincoln Street, Newton Highlands, the theatre is two blocks from Route 9 and is also accessible from other major routes. It is one block from the Newton Highlands MBTA Green Line "T" stop with many shops and restaurants nearby. The theatre is handicapped accessible and ample free parking is available.

For additional information, call the New Rep at (617) 322-1646.

### CANNED GOODS DROP-OFF

Edaville Railroad, the operating steam railroad museum and family theme park, is coordinating a canned goods drop-off site at the entrance to the park to encourage its visitors to show their spirit of giving during the holidays. All park visitors are asked to drop-off canned goods of any kind until January 5.

The goods will, in turn, be given to The Carver Council on Aging and the United Parish of Carver, both in Carver, and the Plymouth Area Coalition for the Homeless, Kingston, for distribution to the local area's needy.

"With the country's poor economic situation, a higher percentage of people are in need of some form of assistance," said George Bartholomew, president of Edaville Railroad. "It's our hope that, with our visitors' donations, we can make the holidays a little more enjoyable for the families in our area who are less fortunate than ourselves."

Visitors can also enjoy Edaville's petting zoo, artisans' gallery, antique carousel and, of course, Santa.

The Festival is running every evening until January 5: 4 to 9 p.m. on weekdays, 2 to 9 p.m. on weekends. Closed Christmas Day. Edaville is located off Exit 2, I-495 in South Carver. For more information call (508) 866-4526.

## Lung Association offers skiing coupon booklet

As the weather cools, activity at New Hampshire Ski Resorts is heating up. And to make those downhill runs a little easier this winter, the American Lung Association is offering its 1991-92 Ski Privilege Coupon Book.

For only \$45, purchasers receive a coupon book featuring free lift tickets and valuable discounts at some of New Hampshire's finest ski resorts, hotels and sport shops. This season's ski resorts include: Balsams/Wilderness, Dartmouth Skiway, Eastman, King Pine, King Ridge, Loon, Mount Cranmore, Pats Peak, Ragged Mountain, Temple Mountain and Tenney Mountain.

In addition, Piche's Ski Shops are offering free ski rentals and lessons or ski clothing discounts.

"The American Lung Association's Ski Privilege Coupon Book is one of the most popular values of the winter season, especially for active families on a budget," says Mark W. Mulligan, Executive Director of the American Lung Association of Middlesex County. "The most valuable aspect of the program is the sense of pride people feel when supporting clean air and healthy lung programs of the American Lung Association."

The 1991-92 Ski Privilege Coupon Book is a gift the entire family can enjoy. Supplies are limited to the first 150 orders. For more information, contact the American Lung Association of Middlesex County at (617) 272-2866.

## Cocoa of a different color

The hottest new taste in chocolate products is now served steaming: Swiss Miss has introduced the first nationally available White Chocolate Hot Cocoa Drink Mix.

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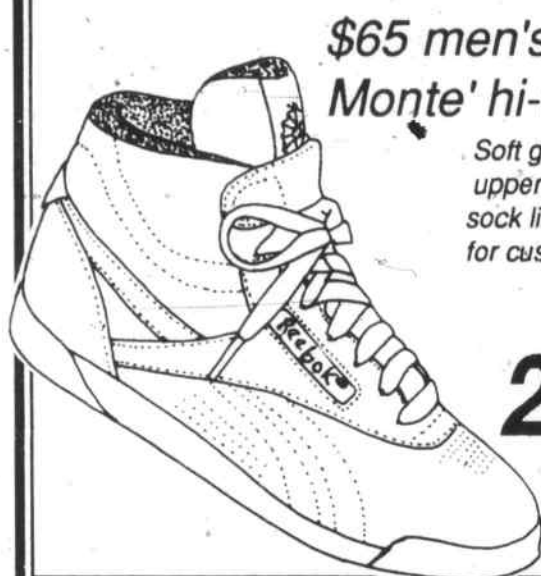
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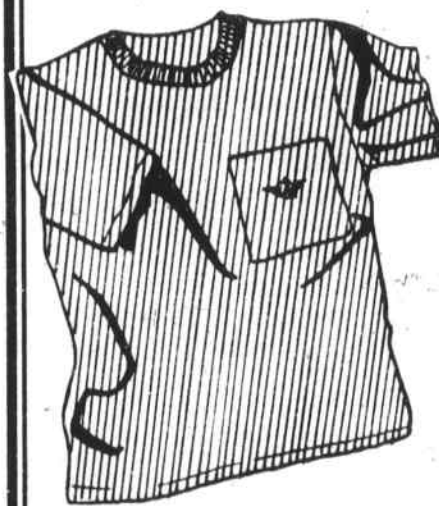
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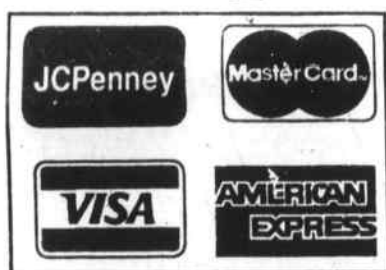
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# Woodchips

ANTHONY MANCONI

Christmas is the time of the year when a young man gives a diamond to the "girl of his dreams." I remember when Kenny went to a jeweler and was surprised at the cost of even the cheapest diamond. So, he went to a bargain center and told the clerk, "I want to get my girl a Christmas present with a lot of diamonds." The clerk wrapped it up and gave Kenny a dollar and ninety five cents. When his girl opened the present she shouted, "Why you cheap idiot! What am I going to do with a deck of Bicycle playing cards?" "Look," Kenny snapped, "there are 13 diamonds in that deck and that's all I could afford."

Robert Cozad is the custodian at the Immaculate Conception Church. He has just washed the front vestibule and being concerned that someone may slip and fall on the wet floor, he made out a caution sign. He posted it so everyone could see it and it brought quite a chuckle. The sign said, "Please, do not Walk on Water!"

Remember you read it here in Woodchips - How long "just a minute" is depends on which side of the bathroom door you're on.

My 'dreamboat' of the week is Stacey MacCurtin. We had a typical American Christmas at my house. The tree came from Canada, the ornaments from Hong Kong, the lights from Japan, but I thank God that the idea came from Bethlehem!

I sent Richard Hamel a Christmas card with the words, "Yuletide Greetings." He called me on the phone and asked what it meant. "Richie," I said, "loan me fifty bucks and 'yuletide' me over for a couple of days!" I asked my nephew, Dennis Tully, "Dennis, what are you going to give your baby sister Jane for Christmas?" "I dunno," he said, "I gave her the measles last Christmas!"

Ryan Powers said, "Thanks, Chipper, for the harmonica you gave me for Christmas. It sure is a money maker." "What do you mean?" I asked. Ryan smiled and said, "My mother gives me 50¢ not to play it during the day and my father gives me a dollar not to play it when he comes home from work at night!"

Personality Winners - Capt. Bill Hughes, Ann Tello, Peg Plansky, Gladys Wilson, Ruth

Cogan, Frank Davis, Joe Accardi, Joe Budden, Josh Latham, Matt Schina, Sister Jean Delaney and Darlene Porter, all of Reading; Rabbi David Kudan, Rev. Susan Cartmell, Coach John Donohue, Dan McGrath, Alex Martinelli, Bill Branley, Frank Giuliano, Florence Gosselin R.N., Edmond and Marie Baratta, all of Winchester; Judy Borselli, Donna Ames, Rev. Harold LeBlanc, Dick O'Rourke, Jack Russo, Bob McComiskey, Claire Nover, Kenneth Bradbury, the seven Gately Brothers (and Happy Birthday Kathy), Elks Exalted Ruler Morin E. "Skip" Keltgen and Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary Patrick and Evelyn Spinazola, all of Woburn; Karen Peterson, Kim Hart, Nicole Decotret, Rev. Roderick MacDonald, Rabbi Susan Abramson, Coach Joe Dillon, Shawn Lane, Forest "Woody" Knowles, Fr. Robert Doherty, Nicole Higden and Angelo Morandi, all of Burlington; Sgt. George Thistle, Patrolman Stephan Ramocki, John Doto Sr. and his lovely wife Marge, Rick Denchy, Ken Majeski, Judy S. Babb, Dennis Hogan, Ken Giles and Anthony Miele, all of Wakefield; Francis Gonsalves, Gladys Mills, Edith O'Leary, Raymond Turner, Daisy Chase, Frederick and his beautiful bride Erin Shaw, Ed and Neida Rouillard, Iva Smith, Barbara Grant, Alice Peard, Doris Lyons and Tom Flynn, all of North Reading.

Also, Edward and Ann Flaherty, Phyllis Goodell, Edward Halpin, Esther Bersanti, Robert Houghton, Domenic Secondini, Michelle Lapiana, Laura and Erin Flaherty, Donald Clark and Jerry McCarthy, all of Stoneham; Bob Allen, Larz F. Neilson, Cheryl Soderquist, Sandra Curtin, CCD Coordinator Ms. Jane Duggan and Choir Member Ms. Carol Capone, both of St. Thomas' Church, Michele Semonelli and James DeMarco (Wilmington High School students of the month for November), Patricia Nutt, Dora

Cornish and Bella Estrella, all of Wilmington; Christine DeLisle, Gregory Carter, Michael Goguen, James Mazza, Adam Bishop, Joseph M. Hurley, Rob McGrath, Shawn Lee now stationed in Idaho with the U.S. Air Force, Joseph and Patricia Foley and their handsome son Joe Jr., all of Tewksbury; Thank you Karol McLaughlin for the following - Rod Kesting (Retired American Airline Captain), Donald and Barbara Gray, Emily Maxwell; also Carmine Mastrogiovanni CPA and Edward Flaherty CPA, all of Lynnfield.

Folks, when people come to

the Woodchips column and read the first paragraph, they have a choice either to continue reading or turn the page. That's the beauty of reading a newspaper. But, what does one do when he or she is sitting in about the middle pew of a church and the clergyman drones on and on "Ad Nauseum?" Mark Twain had this system - whenever the sermon was over 10 minutes he would change the ten dollar bill he was prepared to put in the collection for a five dollar bill. If the "motor mouth" continued, he would change the five for a two dollar bill (pretty hard to get these days). Folks, it would end up

Mark Twain putting a lone one dollar bill in the collection, "reluctantly."

Why do so many people begin their talk by saying, "I am not an orator or great speaker," then they go on to prove it? For crying out loud, clergymen, politicians, et al, please observe the three rules of public speaking, "Be prepared, Be brief and Be seated!"

Woodchips wishes everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.

My Super Star of the week is Susan Webster, who is a teacher.

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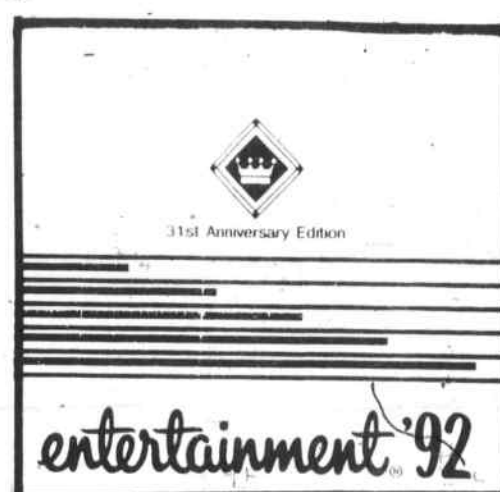
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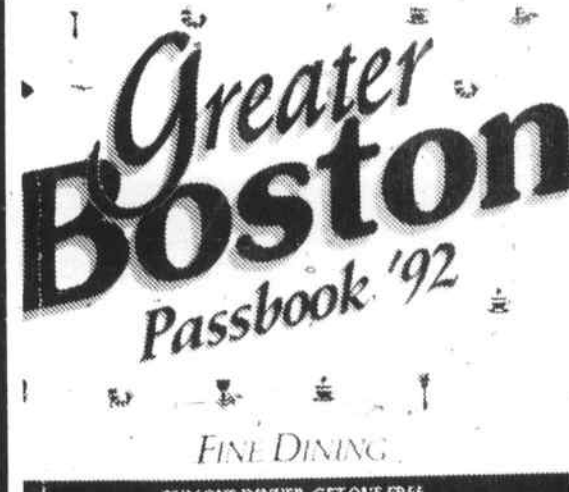
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